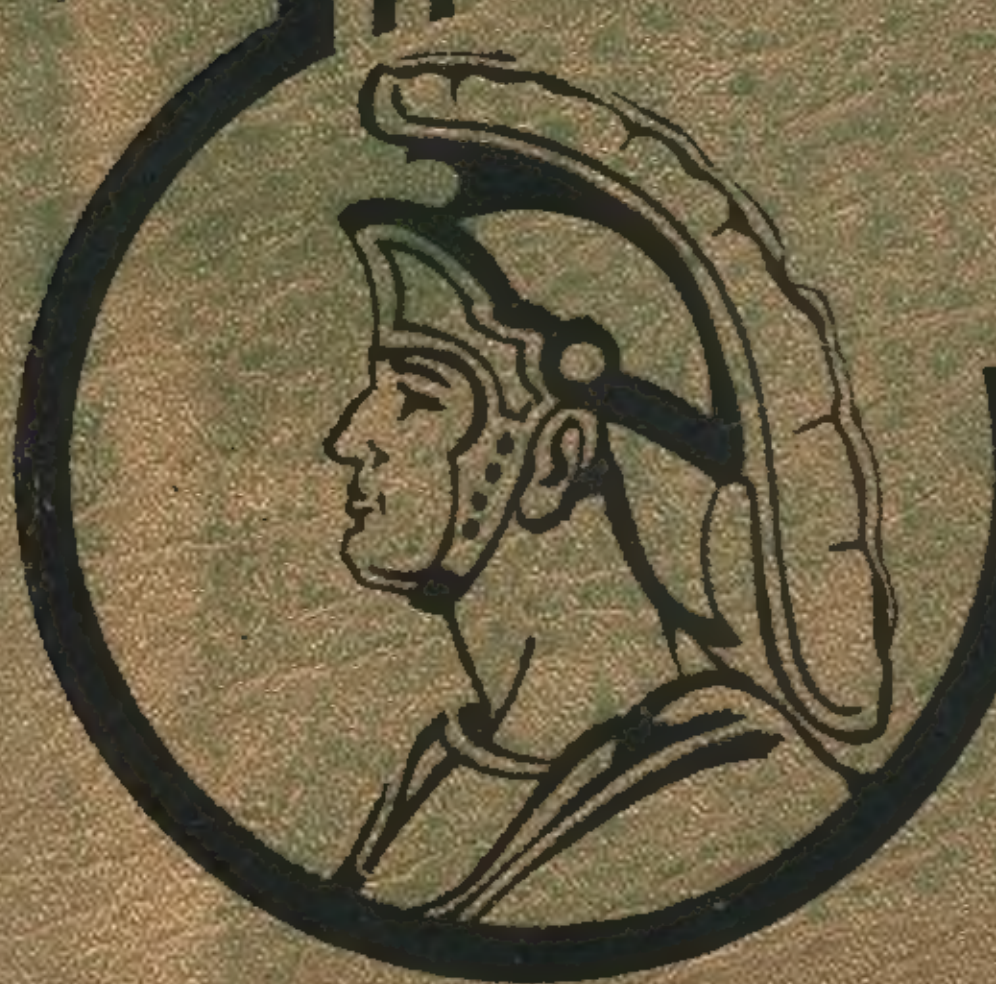


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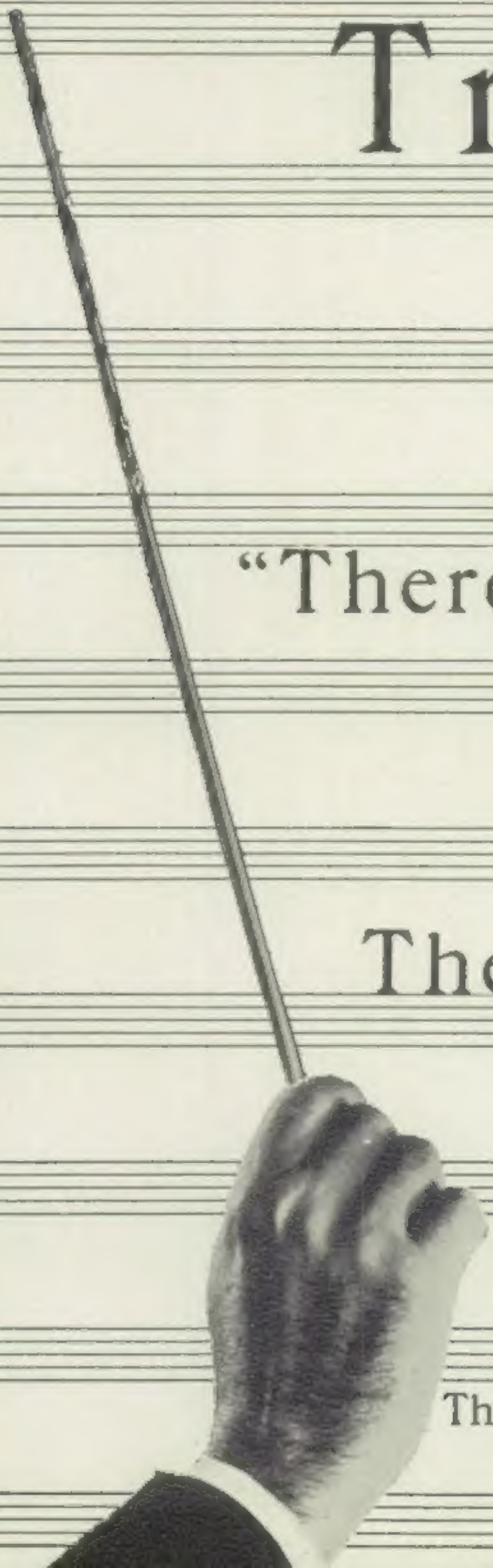
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The Air"

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The Senior Class of '50
Beloit High School
Beloit, Kansas





Foreword

With a song in our hearts, we, the seniors of 1950, are proud to present "There's Music in the Air." Since music plays an important part in the lives of present-day youth, many different tunes and rhythms may be heard.

First, there is the light and carefree music which symbolizes the daily life of the students; second, the hum of battle—the music of the fighting Trojans, ever striving to retain their ancient honor. Then, there's the sentimental music—the music of the "Prom," the "Reception," and the "Banquet". . . And finally one hears the slow, dignified music of Commencement as the seniors regretfully leave B. H. S.

But always there is music—whether it be the beautiful classics or the gay modern type—everywhere its presence brings added strength to body and soul. So today, with hearts brimming over with emotion, we, the seniors, give you the 1950 Trojan with the sincere hope that for you there may always be "Music in the Air."



Board of Education



Board of Education—Seated from left to right: Glen Parrish, vice president, Harold Briney, Clyde Lampert, treasurer, Marvin Mastin, president, Joan Murray, clerk, R. D. Chapman, Orin Jordan, and Maurice McDonald.



Mr. Morrell has been in school work for twenty-nine years. He taught two years in a rural school, four years in Beloit high, served three years as principal of the high school, and has been superintendent of schools for the past twenty years. He has shown an active interest in many community projects and has taken a major part in making them a success. Mr. Morrell received his B. S. degree from Missouri University, and later took post graduate work at Chicago University and Kansas University.

Administration

Mr. E. M. Chestnut has managed the city of Troy for twenty years. "E. M." is a familiar figure to every student, not only because he is principal but also because he is willing at any time to assist one of his pupils. Mr. Chestnut encourages pep assemblies, promotes junior and senior plays, takes a kindly interest in every student, and is noted for his guidance in all school activities. He received his A.B. and M.S. degrees after attending the University of Kansas and Kansas State College.



Faculty



Mr. Eugene Tice
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M. S. Cincinnati Conservatory
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English - Public Speaking



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Physical Education - Social Science
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Senior Sponsor



Mr. Robert Harrison
A. B. Kansas Wesleyan University
Mathematics - General Science
Physical Education
Freshman and Sophomore Sponsor



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Junior and Senior Sponsor

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B. S. Kansas State College
Social Science - English
Principal of Junior High



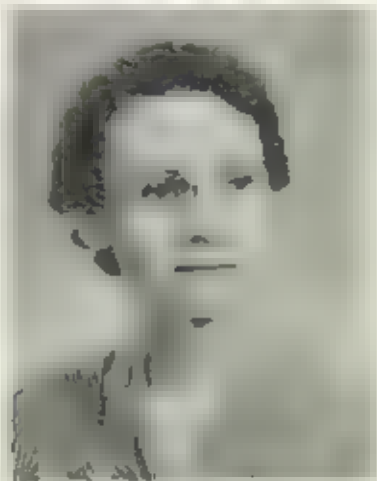
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A. B. Kansas Wesleyan University
Journalism - Library



Miss Helen Gillmore
B. S. Kansas State College
Home Economics
Sophomore Sponsor



Miss Elsie Gaston
B. S. Kansas State Teachers
College, Emporia
Graduate work at
Kansas University
Vocal Music



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Commerce
Junior Sponsor



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B. S. Kansas State College
M. S. Kansas State College
Vocational Agriculture
Sophomore Sponsor



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English
Freshman and Sophomore Sponsor



Mr. Edward Miller
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General Shop - Manual Training
Mechanics, Drawing
Freshman and Junior Sponsor



Miss Joan Heinen
A. B. Marymount College
Latin - World History
Freshman and Sophomore Sponsor



Mr. J. Boyd Finney
A. B. Sterling College
Chemistry - Physics
Psychology - Sociology

Seniors



Walter Adams
Vocational Agriculture

H-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Football Letter 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball Letter 3, 4
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
Student Council 1
Class Vice-President 1
Class President 4
F F A 1, 2, 3, 4
F F A President 3

President



Stanley James Campbell
Social Science

H-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Football Letter 2, 3, 4
Football Captain 4
Basketball 2
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
Track Letter 3, 4
Student Council 3
Class Vice-President 4

Vice President



Marybelle Prewett
Commerce

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Class Secretary 4
Football Queen 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4
Double Sextet 4

Secretary



Lila Whitaker
Commerce-Home Economics

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Class Treasurer 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 3, 4
Double Sextet 4
Scholastic Honor 3

Treasurer



Robert E. Barrett
Mathematics

H-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
H-Y Captain 3, 4
H-Y Letter 3, 4
H-Y President 4
Camp Wagon 2
Basketball 2
Basketball 1, 2
Track 1, 2
Student Council 3
Student Council Vice-President 3
Class President 2
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4
Treasure Society 1, 2, 4
Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Band Council 4



James Lee Bean
Vocational Agriculture

H-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Football 1
Basketball 2
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4
Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Glee Trio 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 3, 4
Band Treasurer 4
Mixed Chorus 3
F F A 1, 2, 3, 4
Yearbook Staff 4
F H S Life Staff 4
Editor 3
"Abe of Green Gables" 3
Chorus 1, 2, 3
State Music Contest
Vocal Solo 4
B Natural Treasurer 3

Seniors



L. Dewayne Black
Vocational Agriculture

Hi Y 1, 2, 3, 4
 Football 2, 3, 4
 Football Letter Jr. 4
 Basketball 1, 2, 3
 Basketball 2r
 Track 1, 2
 Student Council 2, 4
 Student Council President 4
 F F A. 1, 2, 3, 4
 F F A Secretary 3
 F F A Sae-tanner 4
 F F A Livestock Team 4
 F F A
 "Anne of Green Gables" 3



Donald L. Clark
Social Science

Hi-Y	1	2	3	4
Markethal	1	2		

James William Boyd
Science

H Y 1 2 2 4
H Y ~~Market~~ 2 3 4
H Y ~~President~~ Congressman 5
H Y ~~Leahure~~ 1
H Y ~~V~~ President 4
H Y Secretary 3
Market 1
F F A 4
Band 1 2 3 4
Chorus 1 2 3 4
Pop Band 1 2 3 4
French ~~Sp~~ 900 1 2 3 4
Class Sec 1 2 3 4
V 2 3 4
a 1 Wind 2
H 3 5 6 7
a 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97 98 99 100 101 102 103 104 105 106 107 108 109 110 111 112 113 114 115 116 117 118 119 120 121 122 123 124 125 126 127 128 129 130 131 132 133 134 135 136 137 138 139 140 141 142 143 144 145 146 147 148 149 150 151 152 153 154 155 156 157 158 159 160 161 162 163 164 165 166 167 168 169 170 171 172 173 174 175 176 177 178 179 180 181 182 183 184 185 186 187 188 189 190 191 192 193 194 195 196 197 198 199 200 201 202 203 204 205 206 207 208 209 210 211 212 213 214 215 216 217 218 219 220 221 222 223 224 225 226 227 228 229 230 231 232 233 234 235 236 237 238 239 240 241 242 243 244 245 246 247 248 249 250 251 252 253 254 255 256 257 258 259 260 261 262 263 264 265 266 267 268 269 270 271 272 273 274 275 276 277 278 279 280 281 282 283 284 285 286 287 288 289 290 291 292 293 294 295 296 297 298 299 300 301 302 303 304 305 306 307 308 309 310 311 312 313 314 315 316 317 318 319 320 321 322 323 324 325 326 327 328 329 330 331 332 333 334 335 336 337 338 339 340 341 342 343 344 345 346 347 348 349 350 351 352 353 354 355 356 357 358 359 360 361 362 363 364 365 366 367 368 369 370 371 372 373 374 375 376 377 378 379 380 381 382 383 384 385 386 387 388 389 390 391 392 393 394 395 396 397 398 399 400 401 402 403 404 405 406 407 408 409 410 411 412 413 414 415 416 417 418 419 420 421 422 423 424 425 426 427 428 429 430 431 432 433 434 435 436 437 438 439 440 441 442 443 444 445 446 447 448 449 450 451 452 453 454 455 456 457 458 459 460 461 462 463 464 465 466 467 468 469 470 471 472 473 474 475 476 477 478 479 480 481 482 483 484 485 486 487 488 489 490 491 492 493 494 495 496 497 498 499 500 501 502 503 504 505 506 507 508 509 510 511 512 513 514 515 516 517 518 519 520 521 522 523 524 525 526 527 528 529 530 531 532 533 534 535 536 537 538 539 540 541 542 543 544 545 546 547 548 549 550 551 552 553 554 555 556 557 558 559 560 561 562 563 564 565 566 567 568 569 570 571 572 573 574 575 576 577 578 579 580 581 582 583 584 585 586 587 588 589 590 591 592 593 594 595 596 597 598 599 600 601 602 603 604 605 606 607 608 609 610 611 612 613 614 615 616 617 618 619 620 621 622 623 624 625 626 627 628 629 630 631 632 633 634 635 636 637 638 639 640 641 642 643 644 645 646 647 648 649 650 651 652 653 654 655 656 657 658 659 660 661 662 663 664 665 666 667 668 669 670 671 672 673 674 675 676 677 678 679 680 681 682 683 684 685 686 687 688 689 690 691 692 693 694 695 696 697 698 699 700 701 702 703 704 705 706 707 708 709 710 711 712 713 714 715 716 717 718 719 720 721 722 723 724 725 726 727 728 729 730 731 732 733 734 735 736 737 738 739 740 741 742 743 744 745 746 747 748 749 750 751 752 753 754 755 756 757 758 759 760 761 762 763 764 765 766 767 768 769 770 771 772 773 774 775 776 777 778 779 780 781 782 783 784 785 786 787 788 789 790 791 792 793 794 795 796 797 798 799 800 801 802 803 804 805 806 807 808 809 810 811 812 813 814 815 816 817 818 819 820 821 822 823 824 825 826 827 828 829 830 831 832 833 834 835 836 837 838 839 840 841 842 843 844 845 846 847 848 849 850 851 852 853 854 855 856 857 858 859 860 861 862 863 864 865 866 867 868 869 870 871 872 873 874 875 876 877 878 879 880 881 882 883 884 885 886 887 888 889 890 891 892 893 894 895 896 897 898 899 900 901 902 903 904 905 906 907 908 909 910 911 912 913 914 915 916 917 918 919 920 921 922 923 924 925 926 927 928 929 930 931 932 933 934 935 936 937 938 939 940 941 942 943 944 945 946 947 948 949 950 951 952 953 954 955 956 957 958 959 960 961 962 963 964 965 966 967 968 969 970 971 972 973 974 975 976 977 978 979 980 981 982 983 984 985 986 987 988 989 990 991 992 993 994 995 996 997 998 999 1000 1001 1002 100



Margaret E. Cullum
Social Science

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
 Y Teen Cabinet 4
 Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4
 Class Vice President 2
 Band 1, 2, 3, 4
 _____ 1, 2, 3, 4
 _____ 1, 2, 3, 4
 _____ President 4
 _____ Vice-President 3
 _____ 2, 3, 4
 _____ 3, 4
 _____ 3, 4
 _____ 2, 3, 4
 _____ 1, 2, 3, 4
 _____ 1, 2, 3, 4
 _____ 4



Bonnie Jean Chapman
Commerce

T-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
 Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4
 Chorus 1
 Hs. 1, 2, 3, 4
 Orchestra 3, 4
 F. R. 1, 2, 3, 4
 Glee Quartet 4
 Band 1, 2, 3, 4
 Yearbook Staff 4
 B. H. & Life Business Manager 4
 Yearbook Staff 4



Charlene Mary Collins
Commerce

1 Teens 1 2 3 4
 2 1 2 3 4
 3 1 2 3
 4 1
 5 1 2 3
 6 Area of Green Games 3
 7 Area of Green Attendant 4
 8 1

Seniors



Norman Keith Dameron
Vocational Agriculture

H. Y. 1, 2, 3, 4
Football 1
Track 3
F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4
Chorus 1, 2



Frances Donker
Commerce

Y. Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 1, 4
Yearbook Staff 4
B. H. S. Life Staff 4



Melvin LeRoy Davenport
Science

H. Y. 1, 2, 3, 4
Student Council 4
Class Vice President 3
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4
Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Drum Major 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 3, 4
Boys' Ensemble 4
Mixed Ensemble 4
Band Council 4
Baton Solo 4
Yearbook Staff 4
B. H. S. Life Staff 4
"Anne of Green Gables" 3
State Music Contest 4
Messiah solo 4



Nadine L. Eads
Home Economics

Y. Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Cheerleader 1, 2, 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4
Voice Ensemble 4
Soloist 2, 3, 4
Yearbook Staff 4
B. H. S. Life Staff 4
Girls' State 3



Jim Dickinson
Commerce

H. Y. 1, 2, 3, 4
Student Council 3
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4
Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Soloist 4
Piano Solo 3
Saxophone Solo 1, 2, 3, 4
Chorus 1, 2, 4
Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 4
Boys' Ensemble 4
Mixed Ensemble 4



Ruth Anne Engelbert
Social Science

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Girls' Chorus 1, 2
Mixed Chorus 1, 2

Seniors



Bill Fell
Enrolled from Jamestown
Science-Social Science

H Y 3, 4
Football 3, 4
Football Letter 4
Basketball 3
Track 4
Chorus 4



Robert Thomas Godwin
Mathematics-Science

H Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Camp Wood 1
Football 2, 3, 4
Football Letter 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball Letter 2, 3, 4
Track 1
Track 3, 4
Tennis
Band 1

1957



Donald Fobes
Vocational Agriculture

H Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Football 1



Joan Golladay
Commerce

Y Teen 1, 2, 3, 4
Y Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Y Club President 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 4
Yearbook Staff 4
B H S Life Staff 4
Anne of Green Gables 3



Wanda Lee Gentry
Commerce

Y Teen 1, 2, 3, 4
Y Teen Treasurer 3
Y Teen Cabinet 2, 4
Y Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Student Council 2
Chorus 1, 2, 4
Mixed Chorus 4
Scholastic Honors 1, 2, 3, 4



Donna Marie Haines
Home Economics

H Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Fep Band 3
Student Council 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4
Double Sextet Ensemble 1
Yearbook Staff 4
B H S Life Staff 4
Anne of Green Gables 3
Emer 3

Seniors



Robert Hamilton
Mathematics-Vocational Agriculture

Basketball 3 4
Basketball Letter Jr 4
Track 3 4
Track Letter 3 4
P F A 1 2 3 4
P F A Reporter 3



Wayne Hewitt
Vocational Agriculture

Y 1 2 3 4
Football 1
Track 1
P F A 1 2 3 4



Joan Hays
Home Economics

2 3 4

Music 1 2

Double Sextet 4
Solf 4



Margaret Houghton
Mathematics

Y Teens 1 2 3 4
Y Teen Club 1 2 3 4



Denny E. Helvey
Vocational Agriculture

Camp Wood 2
Football 3
Football Letter Jr
Tennis 3 4
Tennis Letter Jr 4
Chorus 1 2 3 4
Mixed Chorus 2 3 4
P F A 2 3 4



Gwenn James
Enrolled from Blue Rapids
English

Y Teens 3 4
Fey Club 3 4
Band 3 4
Band Trio 3
Chorus 3 4
Mixed Chorus 3 4
Girls Double Sextet 4

Seniors



Ella J. James
Home Economics

Y Teens 1 2 3 4
Pep Club 1 2 3 4
Student Council 1 2 3
Chorus 1 2 3 4
Mixed Chorus 3 4
Book Staff 1
B. H. S. Life Staff 4



Wilma Louella Kirts
Enrolled from Lincoln, Kansas
Home Economics



Johanna Johnson
Commerce-Science

Y Teens 1 2 3 4
Y Teen Cabinet 2 4
Camp Wood 2
Pep Club 1 2 3 4
Cheerleader 1 3 4
Student Council 3
Chorus 1 2 4
Mixed Chorus 4
Yearbook Staff 1
B. H. S. Life Staff 4
Choir of Green Gables 3
Basketball Queen 4
Head cheerleader 4



Allen Kiser
Mathematics

H. Y. 1 2 3 4
H. Y. Cabinet 3 4
H. Y. Model Legislature 3
Camp Wood 2
Student Council 2
Class Officer 2
Chorus 2
B. H. S. Life Staff 4
Yearbook Staff 4



Rosemary Jordan
Social Science

Pep Club 1 2 3 4
Chorus 1 2 3
Mixed Chorus 2 3
Band 1 2 3 4
Orchestra 3 4
Pep Band 2 3 4
Band Clubs 1
Class Secretary Treasurer 1
Yearbook Co Editor 4
B. H. S. Life Staff 4
Choir of Green Gables 3
Special Guest 3
Scholastic Honors 1 2 3 4
Vocal Solo 4
Basketball Queen Attendant 4



Imogene Aurelia Leonhart
Social Science

Y Teens 1 2 3 4
Pep Club 1 2 3 4
Chorus 1 2

Seniors



Bill McCausland
Merced Union High, Calif
Science
 H. Y. 1, 2, 4
 Football 1, 2



Dorothy Melton
Commerce
 Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
 Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4
 Student Council 4
 Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
 Student Body 4



Forest McGinnis
Industrial Arts
 H. Y. 1, 2, 3, 4
 Football 1, 2, 3, 4
 Football Letter 3r 4
 Basketball 2
 Track 1
 Chorus 1, 2, 3



Bobby Michels
Mathematics
 H. Y. 4
 Football 2
 Basketball 2
 Track 1
 Student Council 2



George Robert McKemey
Mathematics-Science
 H. Y. 1, 2, 3, 4
 H. Y. Cabinet 2, 3, 4
 H. Y. Model Legislature 4
 Camp Wood 1
 Football 1, 2, 3, 4
 Football Letter 2r 3, 4
 Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
 Basketball Letter 2r 3, 4
 Track 1, 2, 3, 4
 Track Letter 3r 4
 Student Council 1
 Class President 1
 Boy's State 3
 Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
 Mixed Chorus 3, 4
 Scholastic Honors 1, 2, 3



Richard S. Morrell
Vocational Agriculture-Mathematics
 H. Y. 1, 2, 3, 4
 H. Y. Cabinet 1, 2, 3, 4
 Basketball 1, 2
 Student Council 4
 F. P. A. 1, 2, 3, 4
 Band 1, 2, 3, 4
 Orchestra 2, 4
 Trombone Trio 3, 4
 Pep Band 3, 4
 Band Board 4
 Chorus 1, 2, 3
 Mixed Chorus 3
 B. Natural Board 4

Seniors



William Motes
Enrolled from Scottsville
Vocational Agriculture

H. Y. 3, 4
Football 3, 4
Football Letter 3r, 4
Basketball 3, 4
Tennis 3, 4
F. F. A. 3, 4
F. F. A. Vice President 4
Band 3, 4
Cornet Trio 3
Pep Band 3, 4
Chorus 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 3, 4
Mixed Ensemble 4
Vocal Solo 3, 4
Vocal Solo 3
Scholarship Honors 3
Anne of Green Gables 3



Barbara Perkins
Social Science

Y. Teens 3, 3, 3, 4
1st Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Cheerleader 1
Student Council 1, 2
Student Council Treasurer 2
Class Secretary 3
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 3, 4
Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4
B. Natural Board 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3
Mixed Chorus 3
B. H. S. Life Staff 4
Yearbook Business Manager 4
Scholarship Honors 3
Anne of Green Gables 3



Geneva Myers
Commerce

Y. Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
Y-Teen Captain 2, 3, 4
Y. Teen Secretary 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 2, 3, 4



Robert Petterson
Industrial Arts

H. Y. 1, 2, 3, 4
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Football Letter 2r, 3, 4
Second Team All State 4
(Football)
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Track Letter 2r, 3, 4
Track Letter 2r, 3, 4



Don Nickell
Physical Science-Industrial Arts

H. Y. 1, 2, 3, 4
Camp Wood 2
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Football Letter 2r, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
Student Council 2



Jim Rehmer
Industrial Arts

H. Y. 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 2

Seniors



Sylvia Boettcher Renter
Mathematics

Y Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
Y Teen Cabinet
Sec 2
F F A 1, 2, 3, 4
F F A Treasurer 4
Yearbook Assistant Editor 4
Scholastic Honors 1, 2, 4



Martha Jane Shurts
Commerce

Y Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
Y Teen Cabinet
Sec 2
F F A 1, 2, 3, 4
F F A Treasurer 4
Class Treasurer 2
Chorus 1, 2, 4
Mixed Chorus 4
Triple Trio 4
Scholastic Honors 2



Eugene Richards
Enrolled from Scottsville

H-Y 3, 4
F F A 3, 4
F F A Treasurer 4



Jean Snyder
Home Economics

Y Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
Y Teen Cabinet
Sec 2
F F A 1, 2, 3, 4
F F A Treasurer 4
Mixed Chorus 2, 4



William C. Seidel
Mathematics, Industrial Arts

H-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
F F A 1, 2, 3, 4
F F A Treasurer 4
F F A Secretary 4
F F A Treasurer 4
F F A Secretary 4



Stuart E. Spielman
Vocational Agriculture

Y Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
Y Teen Cabinet
Sec 2
F F A 1, 2, 3, 4
Chorus 1, 2



Keith R. Slate
Vocational Agriculture

H-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
F F A 1, 2, 3, 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3



Shirley Ann Strawn
Science

Y Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
F F A 1, 2, 3, 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 3, 4

Seniors



Kendall E. Studer
Vocational Agriculture

H. Y. 1, 2, 3, 4
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
V. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4
V. F. A. Treasurer 3



Carol Jean Widrig
Home Economics-Social Science

Y. Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Pep Club Executive Committee 4
Student Council 1
Girls' State 3
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 4
S. H. S. Life Staff 4
Yearbook Staff 4



Connie Nadine Wagner
Home Economics

Y. Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Student Green Attendant 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 4
Rifle 4
Anne of Green Gables 3



Evalyn Mae Williams
Enrolled from Harper, Kansas
Commerce, Home Economics

Teens 4
Track 4
Pep Club 3, 4
Chorus 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 3, 4
S. H. S. Life Staff 3
Anne of Green Gables 3



Phil Walton
Enrolled from DeSoto Rural
High School
Science-Social Science

H. Y. 3, 4
Football 4
Football Letter 4
Student Council 4
R. H. S. Life Co-Editor 4
Yearbook Assistant Editor 4
Anne of Green Gables 3, 4



Sammy Woods
Industrial Arts

H. Y. 1, 2, 3, 4
Football 1, 2, 3
Football Manager 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3
Basketball Manager 4



Margaret Way
Home Economics

Y. Teens 1, 2, 3, 4
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Pep Club Vice-President 3
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Mixed Chorus 4



Owen Yocum
Vocational Agriculture

Football 1, 2, 3
Track 2
V. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4
Chorus 4
Mixed Chorus 4



Four in a Row



Lady of Leisure



Studious



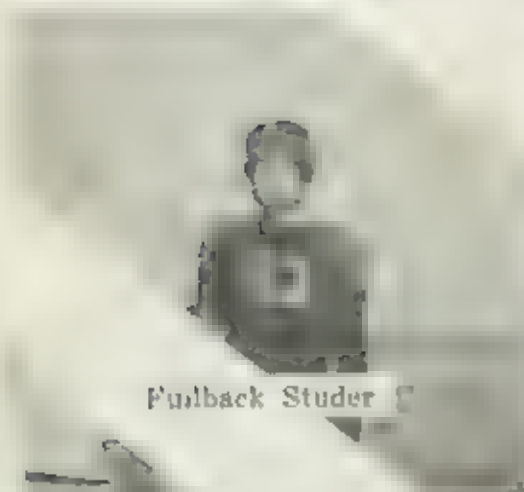
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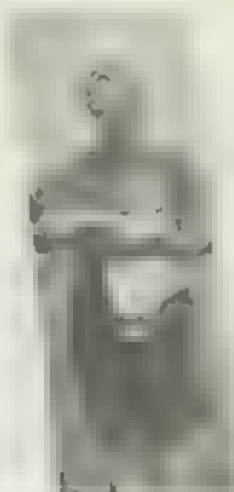
Lovers



Three in a Row



Fullback Studer



Bill Motes



One-Third of the Nine



Gridiron Days

FROM PRELUDE . .

Sixty-six eager freshmen started their careers at Beloit high school in the fall of 1946. They entered into the activities of school life, and some of the boys showed great promise for the future in athletics. This active class was led by George McKemey as their president. Eleven members dropped during the freshman year.

The class of '50 were peppy and enthusiastic during their sophomore year with Robert Barrett as their leader. A new student, Wilma Kirk, enrolled from Lincoln high. Only three students dropped out this year.

Sixteen students entered the junior class roll. Four students were added to the junior class roll. Jean Armstrong enrolled from Nebraska, but stayed at Beloit high only a year. Eugene Richards enrolled from Scottsville, and Gwen James came from Blue Rapids. Evalyn Williams enrolled from Harper high. An outstanding event of the junior year was the play "Anne of Green Gables."

The junior class was honored with a reception given by the seniors, who carried out the theme,

Senior Snaps

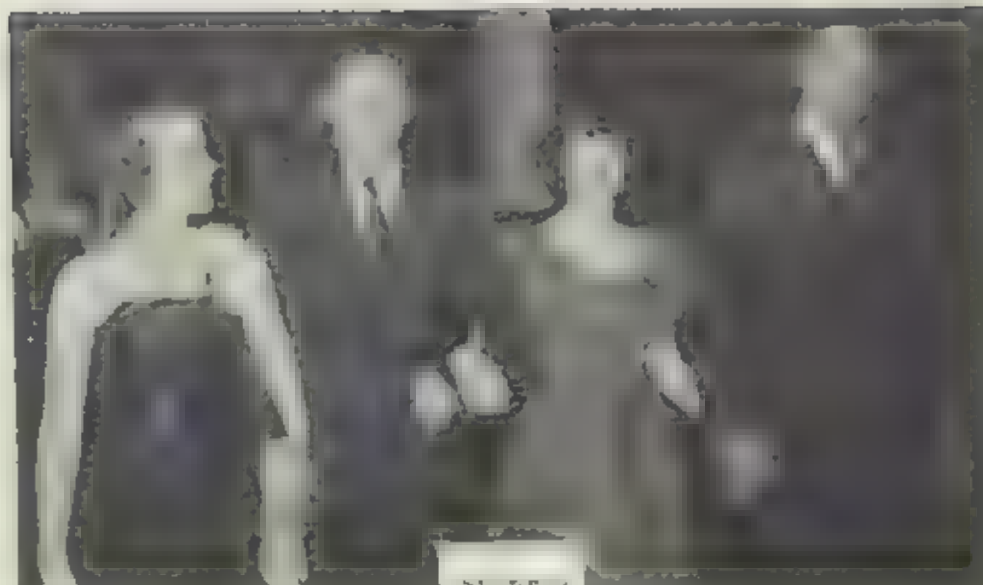




F. B. Queen Ceremony



Woo-Woo



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A Senior's Opinion



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... TO POSTLUDE

"Dark Town Strutter's Ball " The juniors presented the seniors with a formal banquet in the spring using the theme, "The Sunflower."

The juniors ended a very successful year and started their senior year with an enrollment of 65 students. Two new students enrolled for the senior year. Bill Fell came here from Jamestown. Mrs. Audrey Swihart from Beloit also enrolled, but stayed with the class for only six weeks.

The seniors have been very active in pep club, Y teens, and other school activities. The boys have shown their abilities in chorus, Hi-Y, F. F. A., band and athletics. Robert Petterson has been outstanding in football, and Bob Godwin has been outstanding in basketball during their four years of high school. Walt Adams was chosen to lead the class their last year.

The seniors have demonstrated outstanding abilities along many lines, and are going into a new world to try their wings. Even as the curtain falls on the final act of the class of 1950, the stage is being cleared for another production of great promise. Seniors of '51, the stage is yours.



Juniors

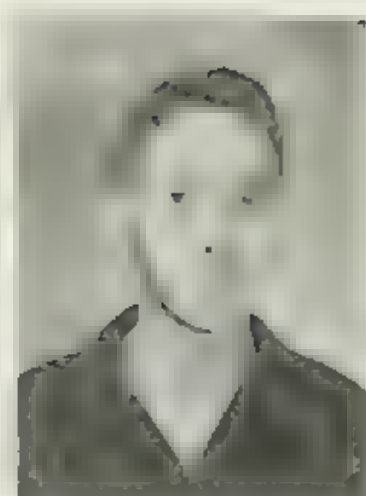
Erma Adams was chosen to lead the class of 1951 with an enrollment of 76 members. Other officers include the following: vice president, Lyle Abbott, secretary, Sondra Moore, treasurer, Bernice Luckey. The juniors started their freshman year with an enrollment of 75 and Joe Moss, president. Jim Jordan was class president, the sophomore year.

The play, "Sixteen in August," and an impressive and memorable banquet were important events during the year. The juniors possess much talent in music, athletics, and dramatics. They also rated high in scholastic honors. Outstanding leadership is expected from the class in their last year at Beloit high school.

Junior sponsors are Miss Clara Bollman, Mr. Robert Harrison, Mr. Edward Miller, Miss Helen Gillmore, and Miss Mary Hughes.



Erma Adams
Pres.



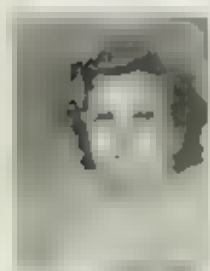
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Vice Pres.



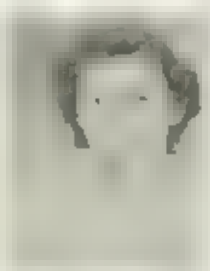
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Treas.



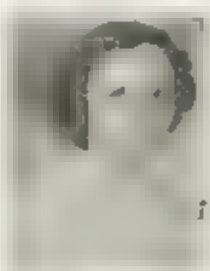
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Sec.



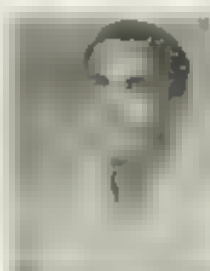
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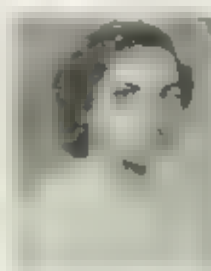
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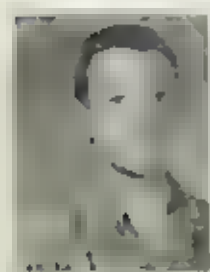
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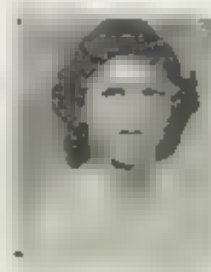
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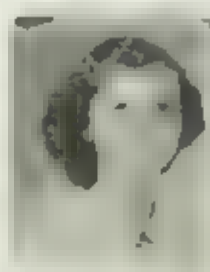
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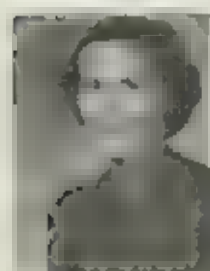
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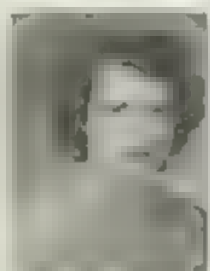
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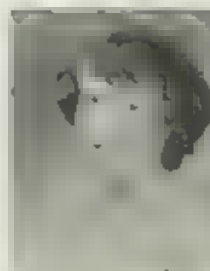
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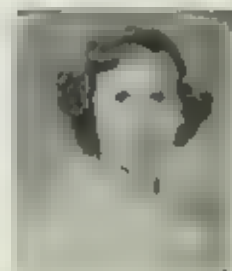
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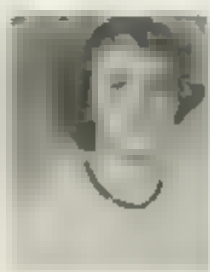
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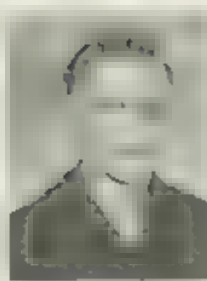
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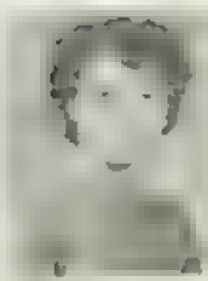
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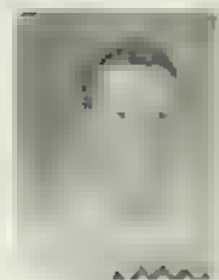
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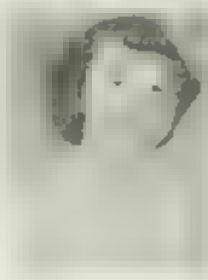
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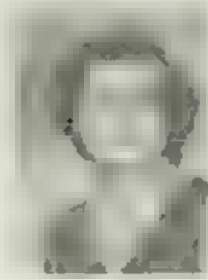
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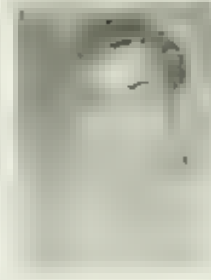
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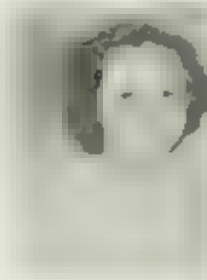
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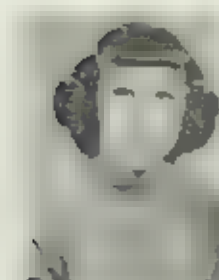
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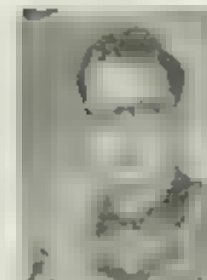
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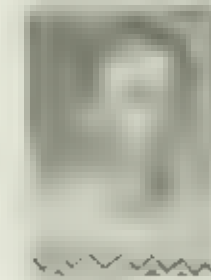
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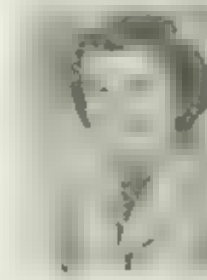
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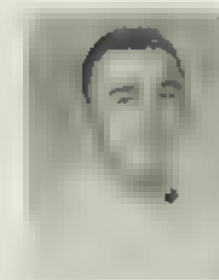
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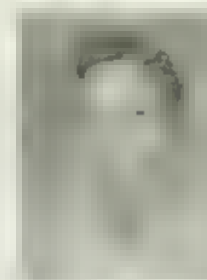
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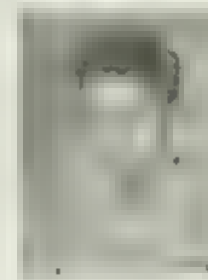
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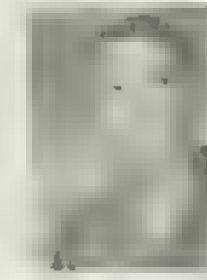
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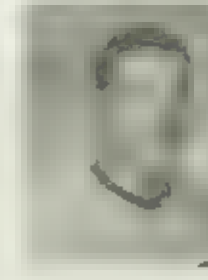
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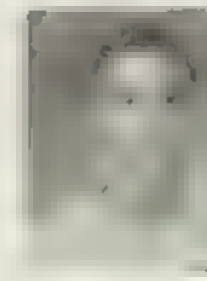
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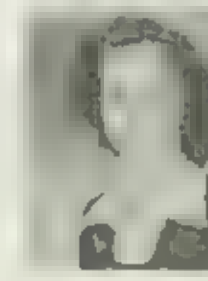
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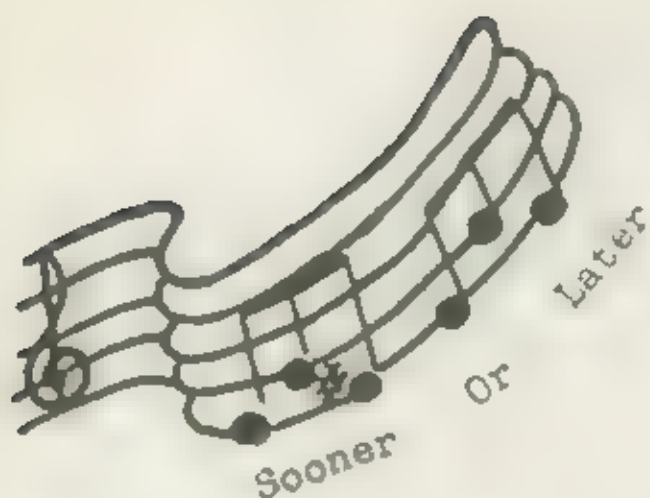
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M. Williamson



C. Winkel



Sophomores

The 66 sophomores this year were very active in school activities. Eighteen of their number are in band. All of the girls belong to Y-Teens and all of the boys are members of the Hi-Y organization. The sophomores also participated in the orchestra, chorus, FFA, and Pep club. The 36 boys outnumber the girls by six.

Harrell Guard, George Betz, Connie Maag, and Connie Knarr were at the helm as president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer, respectively. Last year, as freshmen, their president was Bill Borgen.

This year the sophomores had a joint Valentine party with the freshman class. The annual sophomore picnic was held November 1. Miss Lila Anderson, Miss Hannah Brown, Mr. Edward Miller, and Mr. Howard Bradley acted as sophomore sponsors this year.



Harrell Guard
Pres.



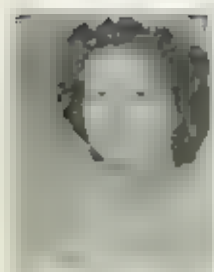
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Vice Pres.



Connie Maag
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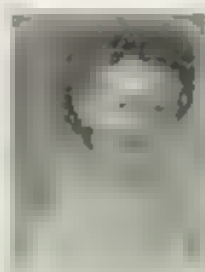
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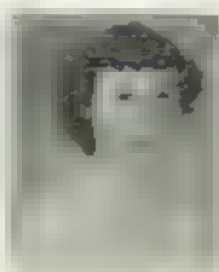
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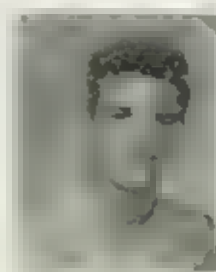
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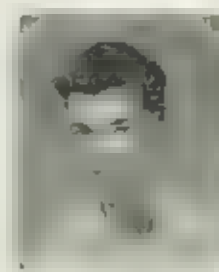
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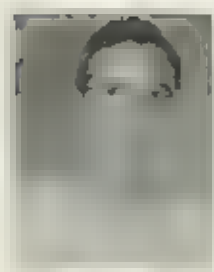
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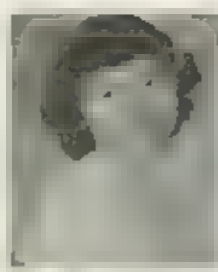
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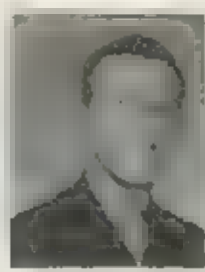
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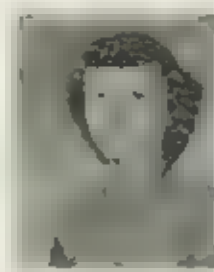
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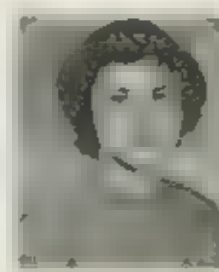
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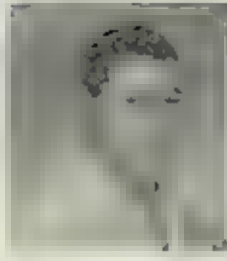
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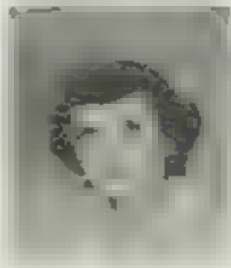
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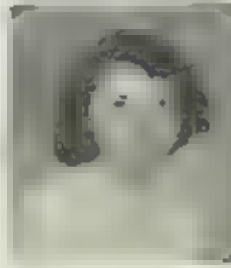
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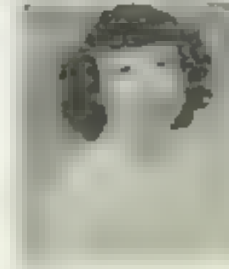
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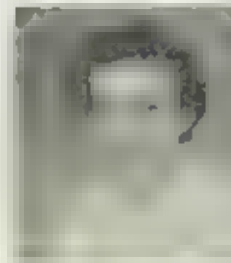
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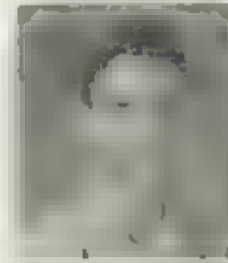
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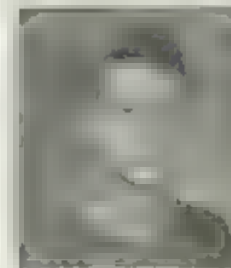
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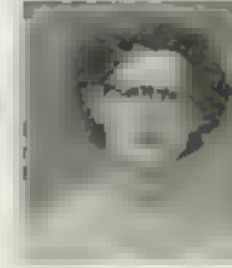
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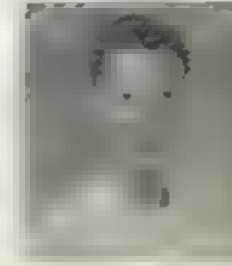
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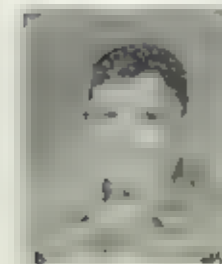
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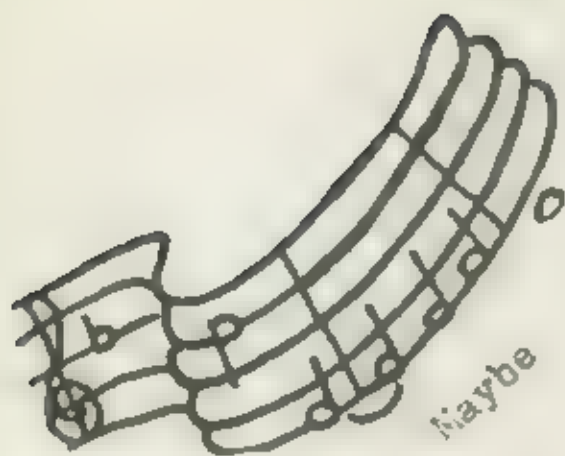


J. Wickham



H. Young

NOT SHOWN:
J. Jones



Freshmen

The class of 1953, with an enrollment of 65, got off to a good start under the able guidance of Franklin Mastin, president; Arden Treaster, vice president; and Margie Roquet, secretary-treasurer.

Activities in which they have participated are the following: a Halloween party, collecting clothes for the economy shop at different times throughout the year, and a freshman-sophomore pep club Valentine party.

The freshmen have taken an active part in Hi-Y, Y-Teens, F. F. A., Pep club, and music groups.

Freshman sponsors were Miss Joan Heinen, Miss Hannah Brown, and Mr. Robert Harrison.



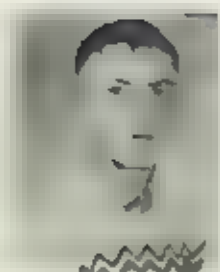
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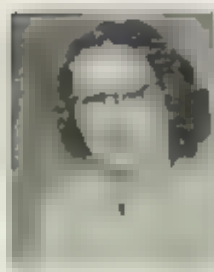
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Margie Roquet
Sec.-Treas.



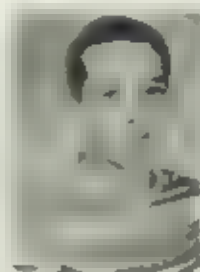
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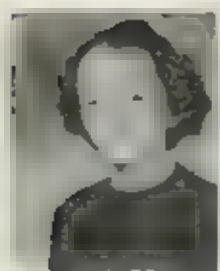
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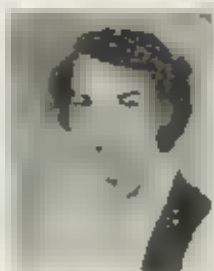
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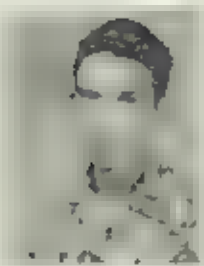
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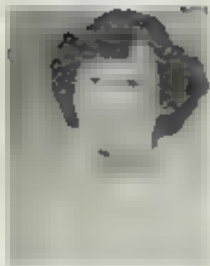
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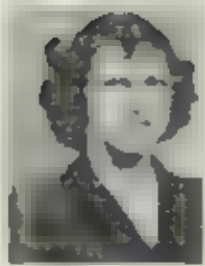
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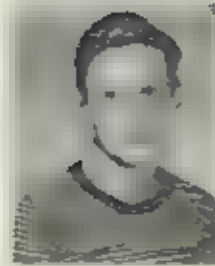
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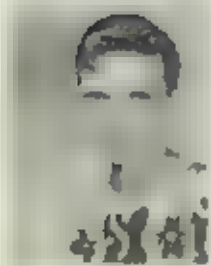
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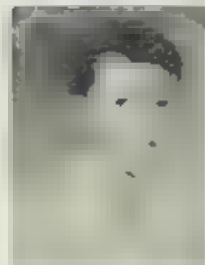
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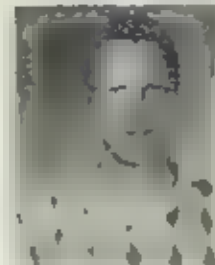
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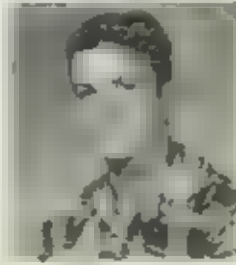
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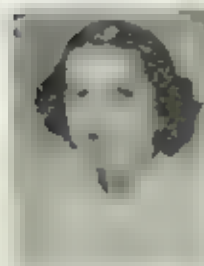
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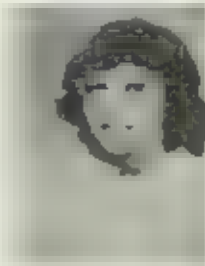
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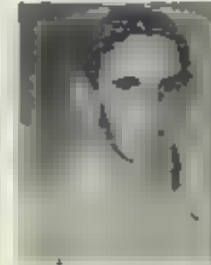
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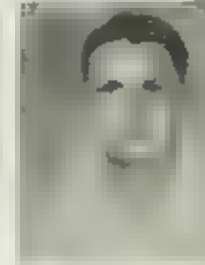
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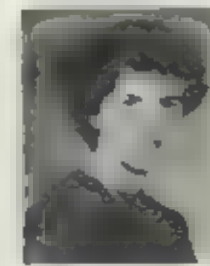
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I. Street



K. Studer



G. Tice



B. Urbanovich



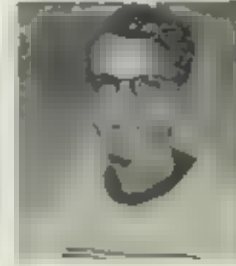
J. Vestal



V. Watson



C. Wickham



A. Williams



J. Williams



K. Williams

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B. Harville
K. Sales

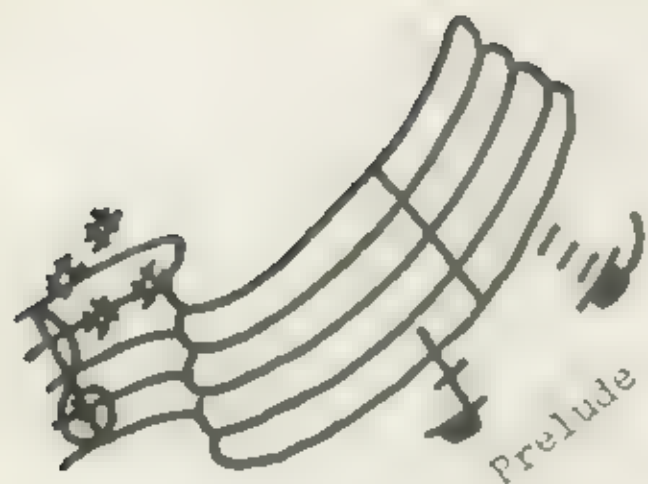


M. Wilson



J. Zimmerman

Junior



There are 56 students in the eighth grade—thirty boys and 26 girls. In the years '49 and '50 they made much advancement and prepared for their first year of high school. The boys and girls have taken part in three unsocial events, including football, basketball, and high band and orchestra. The boys have taken part in junior high sports, including football, basketball, and track. The girls belong to the Blue Triangle and have taken part in parties and other activities for which this organization has provided



L. Wills



J. Yager

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R. Booth, B. Brewer ROW 3: D.
Briney, C. Brott, R. Brown, D.
Daniels, R. Ernzen ROW 4: S.
Frew, A. Gaskill, D. Gaskill, M.
Goodeyon, S. Gray, R. Gritman,
C. Hackett ROW 5: J. Harville,
D. Henderson, J. Henderson, L.
Hewitt, W. Hicks, N. Hixenbaugh,
M. Hollaway ROW 6: S. Hull, J.
Jones, J. Jones, H. Kirts, K. Laf-
len, J. Linder, R. Logan ROW 7:
B. Lynch, G. McCollough, D. Mc-
Donald, L. McDysan, M. Miller,
S. Morrell, S. Muck ROW 8: G.
Newquist, C. Norris, K. Olehy, R.
Pruitt, L. Plymire, J. Rosenbaum,
C. Ross ROW 9: R. Rypma, D.
Scraper, L. Schneider, S. Smith,
V. VanPelt, M. Walton, C. Wilcox
NOT SHOWN: Shirley Wallace.



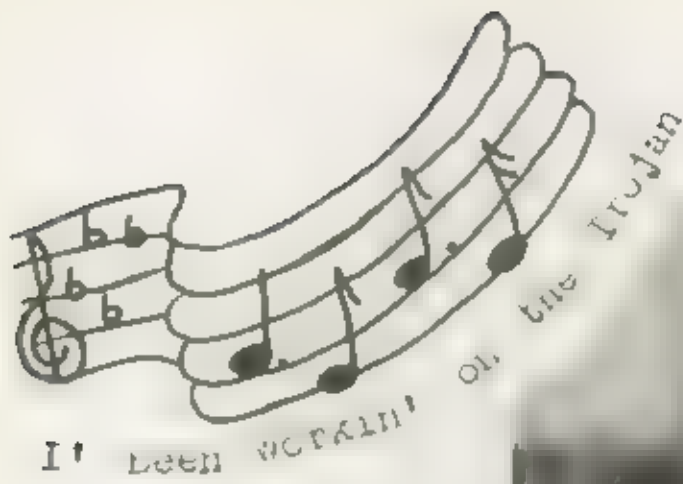
The seventh grade this year has 44 members, 23 boys and 21 girls. All of the girls belong to an excellent organization, the Blue Triangle. In the Blue Triangle, the girls have taken part in many projects, some of which were a magazine sale, a collection of cancelled stamps for postage at the Winter General Hospital, and assisting the local Y Teen club in collecting candy bars for people in Europe. The boys are all eligible to go out for sports. The junior high football season ended with 5 wins and 2 losses.



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Journalism



TOP ROW: Mrs. Rosebaugh, Phil Walton, Melvin Davenport, Rosemary Jordan. BOTTOM ROW: Sylvia Reiter, Jean Snyder, Barbara Perkins, Johanna Johnson, Margaret Houghton, Bonnie Chapman

Through the years the B. H. S. Life and Trojan annual have faithfully recorded the important events of Beloit high school. This year nineteen journalism students under the able direction of Mrs. Ray Rosebaugh published the school newspaper and assembled the annual. Hard work and the utmost cooperation is required to complete these activities successfully.

During the first semester new editors for the B. H. S. Life were chosen each six weeks, but permanent editors were chosen for the last semester. Johanna Johnson, Allen Kiser, Barbara Perkins, Phil Walton, Sylvia Reiter, and Melvin Davenport served as co-editors during the first semester. Phil Walton and Sylvia Reiter were chosen as permanent editors for the second semester. Bonnie Chapman was business manager for the B. H. S. Life during the entire year.

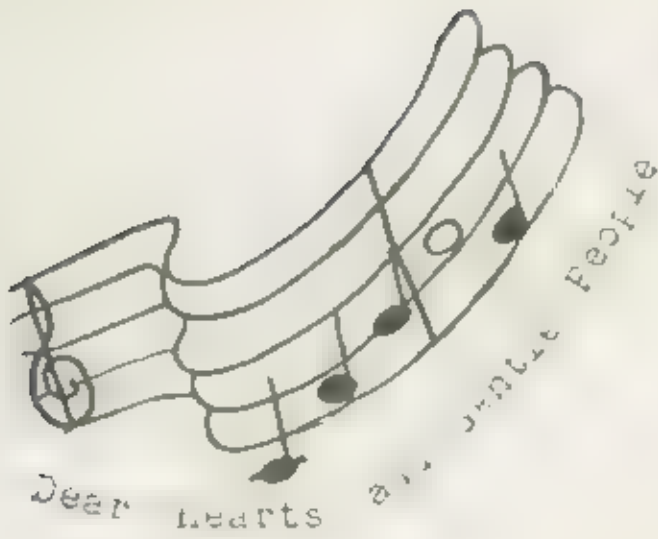
Yearbook Staff

Managing Editors	Rosemary Jordan	Margaret Houghton
Associate Editors	Sylvia Reiter	Phil Walton
Business Manager	Barbara Perkins	
Assistant	Bonnie Chapman	
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Sports Editors	Melvin Davenport	Jim Bean
Make Up	Allen Kiser	Donna Haines
	Wilma Kirtz	
Photographic Editors	Carol Widrig	Jean Snyder
		Nadine Eads
Art Editors	Ila James	Joan Goladay
		Frances Donker
Sponsor	Mrs. Ray Rosebaugh	



TOP ROW: Joan Hays, Jim Bean, Allen Kiser, Donna Haines. BOTTOM ROW: Ila James, Joan Goladay, Wilma Kirtz, Frances Donker, Carol Widrig, Nadine Eads

Student Council



The student council, consisting of twenty-seven students, has completed a successful year. The council has been assisting with lyceum programs, supervision of the concession stands at the games, pencil sales, and providing the scholastic awards. Other projects of the student council were helping with fall elections of class officers, presenting one all-school program, and the selling of booster auto tags.

One member is chosen from each of the fourteen home rooms, the four classes, and from the Hi-Y and Y-Teen groups, F. F. A., pep club, band and orchestra club, and the journalism class.

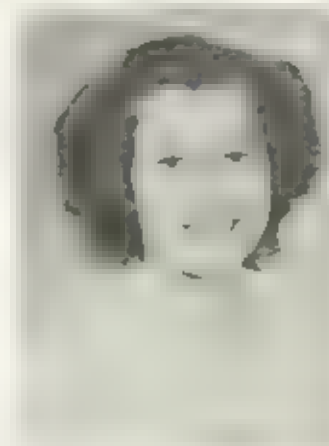
The sponsors for the year, 1949-50, have been Mr. E. M. Chestnut, Mr. Boyd Finney, Miss Lila Mae Anderson, and Miss Hannah Brown.



Dewane Black
Pres



Holly Vestal
Treas



Betty Thiesack
Sec



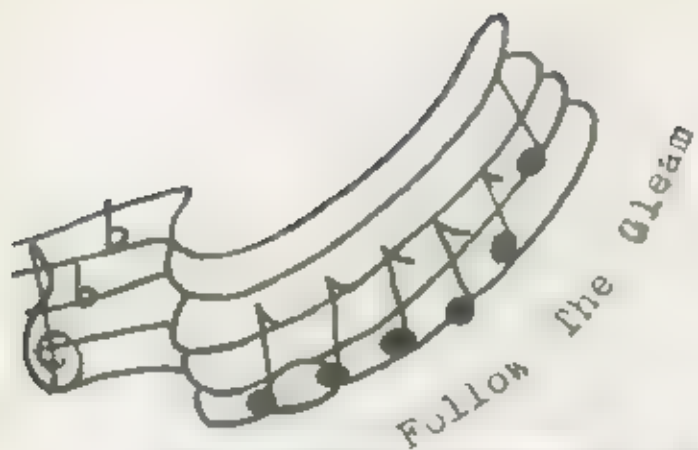
Phyllis Bean
Vice Pres



SPONSORS x Finney Miss Brown Miss Anderson and Mr Chestnut



BACK ROW B. Charlier, J. Clark, D. Spratlan, P. Bean, R. Morrell, M. Davenport, P. Watson, J. Shortz
MIDDLE ROW J. H. . . B. Jones, B. Churchill, M. Godwin, D. Rains, R. Bradley, B. Vestal, B. Thiesack, W.
Kent, Jr., FIRST ROW, M. Myers, G. Fife, E. Clark, N. Black, J. Van Pelt, M. Williamson, M. Nease, J. O.
Melton, D. Black, A. Fulhage



Y-Teens



CABINET Standing Marilyn Morrell, Margaret Houghton, Wanda Gentry, Evalyn Williams, Miss Hughes, Rosemary Jordan, and Miss Gilmore. Seated: Pauline Murray, Barbara Street, Geneva Myers, Martha Shurts, Marilyn Pelton, Johanna Johnson, and Barbara Perkins.

Under the able leadership of Miss Mary Hughes and Miss Helen Gilmore, the Y-Teen club got off to a good start with the annual big-little sister picnic.

Some of the activities of the club throughout the year included the mother-daughter banquet, dad-daughter get together, and the joint cabinet luncheon with the Hi-Y.

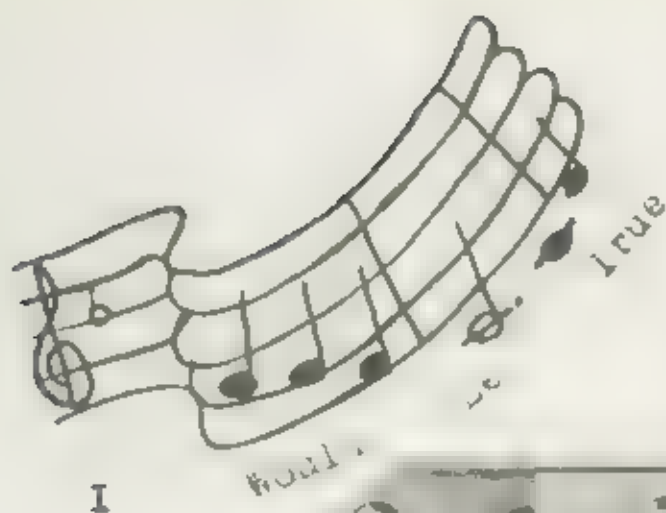
During the Christmas season each committee took over some project that would be a service to the community. For the first time this year the Y-Teen club got first prize on the homecoming float.

The Y-Teens take pride in having 100% membership again this year.

Officers for the year were these: Martha Shurts, president; Martha Nienstedt, vice president; Geneva Myers, secretary; and Marilyn Pelton, treasurer.



ASSISTANT CHAIRMEN—Back Row: Justine Wickham, Bernice Luckey, Jane Dunham, Marjorie Myers. Front Row: Loyce Cheatham, Beverly Churchill, Janet Boettcher, Connie Maag, and Janet Eller. **NOT SHOWN:** Margaret Cullum



Hi-Y



CABINET First row: Robert Barrett, Jim Boyd, Bob Logan, Joe Moss, George McKemey, Robert Norris, and Robert Norris. Second row: Ed Miller, Wilbur Kent, Allen Kiser, Tom Wesselowski, George McKemey, Harrell Guard, Jim Jordan, and J. Boyd Finney.

"To create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community, high standards of Christian character" is the purpose of the Beloit Hi-Y club. With a program full of deeds of service, the club has been doing just that throughout the year of 1949-50.

The club had the honor of being the host club at the district and sectional conferences which met on October 4 and February 13, respectively.

Under the leadership of J. Boyd Finney and Ed Miller, the membership, consisting of 136 boys, undertook such activities as the annual watermelon feed, Y-M-C-A membership campaign, and the father-son mixer. Four delegates (pictured below) were sent to Topoka to represent Beloit at the model legislature. The boys were very fortunate in one respect: out of the five bills that were passed by the legislature, two of them were sponsored by Beloit. The club also operated the concession stand at the football games under the leadership of Robert Norris, service chairman.

Donations to the Community Hospital, Red Cross and the infantile paralysis campaign were made.



OFFICERS Bob Logan, treasurer, Joe Moss, secretary, Robert Barrett, president, Jim Boyd, vice president.



MODEL LEGISLATURE George McKemey, Walt Adams, Jim Jordan, and Joe Moss.

Pep Club



Joan Golladay
Pres



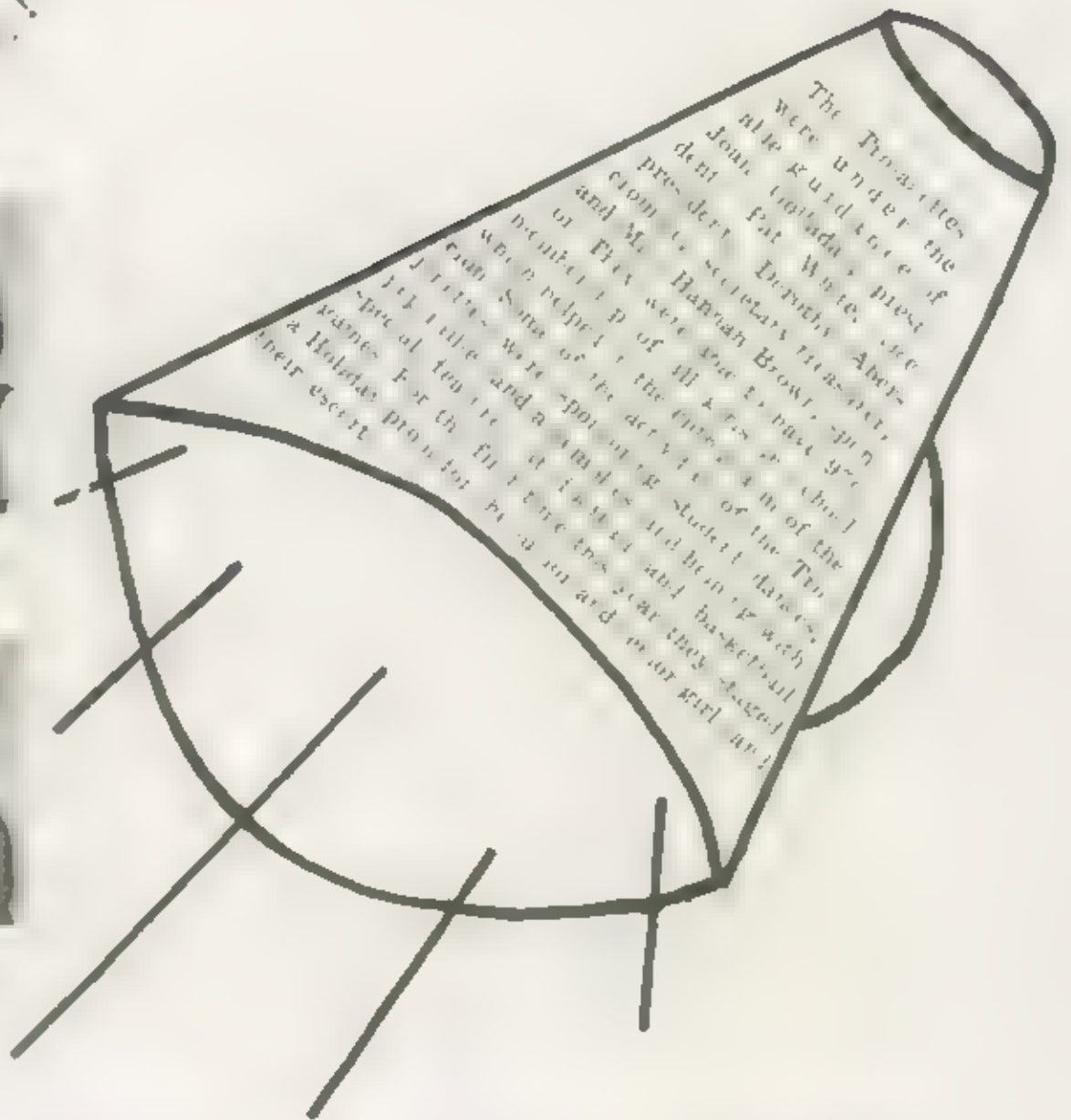
Pat White
Vice Pres



Dorothy Abernombie
Treas



M. Brown
Secretary



BOTTOM ROW M. Prewett, M. Cullum, I. James, C. Widrig, D. Hamfeld, C. Tice, J. Johnson, N. Eads, P. Bartleson, C. Wagner, E. Williams, B. Chapman, R. Jordan, SECOND ROW M. Shurtis, W. Gentry, W. Kirtz, B. Perkins, S. Reiter, S. Strawn, R. Englebert, M. Way, D. Haines, C. Collins, J. Golladay, J. Snyder, M. Houghton, THIRD ROW N. Gibson, J. Slate, G. Myers, L. Whitaker, D. Melton, G. James, I. Leonsart, B. Broadbent, P. Murray, F. Donker, J. Hays, P. Bean, D. Davis, FOURTH ROW L. McDysan, M. Neinstedt, C. Meana, R. Axtell, W. Diers, M. Miller, V. Kirtz, M. Warrall, P. White, E. Tice, B. Luckey, B. Larkins, P. Motes, E. Adams, FIFTH ROW M. Pelton, S. Moore, J. Shoemaker, D. Northcott, P. Gilbert, M. Craig, B. Street, B. Shea, B. Reiter, M. Godwin, P. Horne, C. Winkel, J. Nelson, J. Lukens, SIXTH ROW D. Gray, L. Cullum, M. Dutton, E. Barrett, F. Luckey, G. Hewitt, W. Williams, E. Cliff, and P. Porter

Pep Club



Johanna Johnson



Connie Tice



Nadine Eads



Phyllis Bartleson



Donna Humfeld

Through the entire school year of 1949-50, the B. H. S. pep club cheered their teams on to victory under the leadership of Johanna Johnson, Nadine Eads, Connie Tice, Phyllis Bartleson, and Donna Humfeld.

Johanna Johnson, head cheerleader, Nadine Eads and Connie Tice have been cheerleaders for three years. Both Phyllis Bartleson and Donna Humfeld have served two years.



BOTTOM ROW: L. Schneider, W. Kadel, C. Ross, L. Sportleder, M. Hollingshead, B. Thiessen, V. Kelly, J. Wickham, C. Maag, D. Ahlertcrumbie, Miss Brown. SECOND ROW: J. Spurgin, J. Boettcher, B. Chartier, B. Churchill, J. Eller, M. Tonne, M. Gaskill, P. Chances, J. Ackers, M. Donker, D. Kaser, N. Black. THIRD ROW: P. Forbes, A. Futhage, P. Clark, H. Young, C. Hull, S. Huggins, L. Rynga, L. Farr, M. Gaddis, C. Knerr. FOURTH ROW: D. Gray, G. Tice, G. Parrish, C. Rawlings, S. Kimsey, M. Roquet, R. Minges, F. Kadel, M. Wilson, E. Mitrell. FIFTH ROW: G. Briney, L. Cooper, L. Chestham, K. Bluder, L. Bowers, P. Street, N. Bruce, V. Watson, D. Mears, J. Dunham.

Snapshots



Guest Artists





The Future Farmer of America is a national organization by and for boys studying vocational agriculture. Closing its twenty-first year, the Beloit Chapter of the FFA, under the leadership of Howard Bradley, has a membership of 76 boys.

Dewayne Black was elected State Farmer this year. Winning the ritual contest this year for the third year gave the chapter permanent possession of the ritual trophy. This year the chapter trophy won in this manner has been among the top ten chapters in the state, the local chapter has been in the Gold Emblem group for five years. The boys have won plaques in farm mechanics and livestock judging, this year.



Above are pictured the 1949-50 officers of the Beloit FFA Chapter. Left to right are Joe Moss, Eugene Richards, Bill Motes, Gilbert Harlow, and George McCune. These officers won first place in the ritual contest and the information contest thus receiving the ritual trophy. Joe Moss, Bill Motes, and Gilbert Harlow were selected to represent the all-around ritual team in the district.



Myron Hackett with his registered Hereford heifer



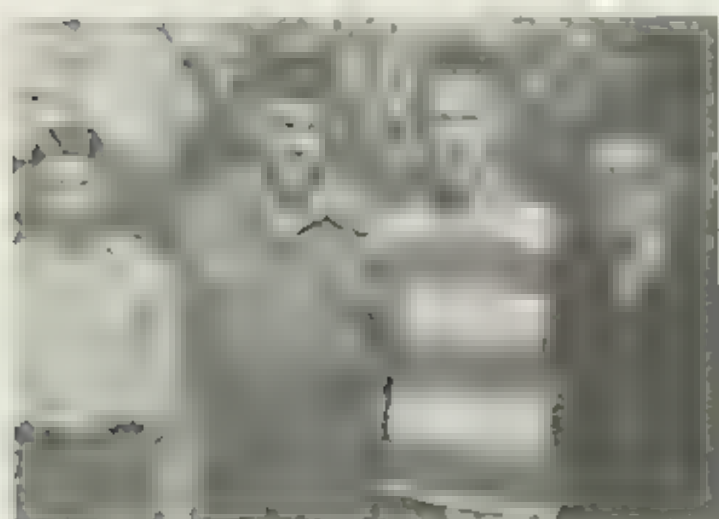
Harold Severance with his registered Duroc Jersey gilt.



Dewayne Black, State Farmer for 1950. Dewayne also won the Corn Belt Feeder Cattle award for the state of Kansas.



The Best Chapter vestment and dairy judging team — Joseph of Joe M. Harold Severance, Bill Mites, Eugene Richards, and Dewayne Black, ranked first at the district contest held at Bellevue. The chapter was host to the district dairy contest; consequently the team was not ranked.



Neal McKee, Harrell Guard, Jr., Bill Borgen, and Bob Bear made the sophomore grain judging team, ranking fourth at the district crops contest held in Manhattan.



Bob Snyder, George Betz, Stanley Creitz, and Donald Douglas composed the sophomore poultry judging team, who ranked fifth in the district contest at Concordia. Betz was the fourth high individual in that contest.



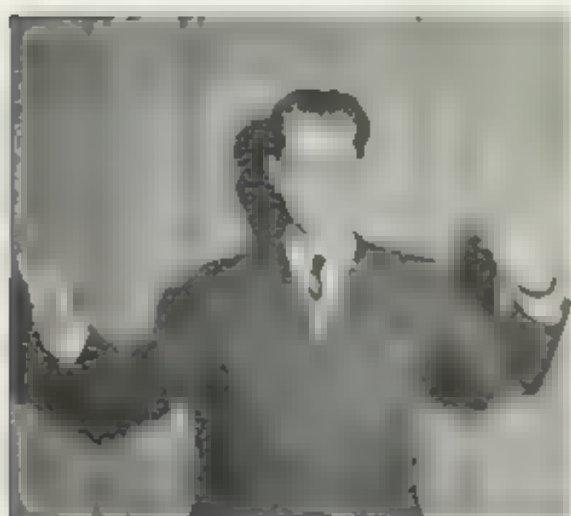
George McCune and Gilbert Harlow made up the first place team in the district shop contest. McCune and Harlow were second and third high individuals, respectively.



Band



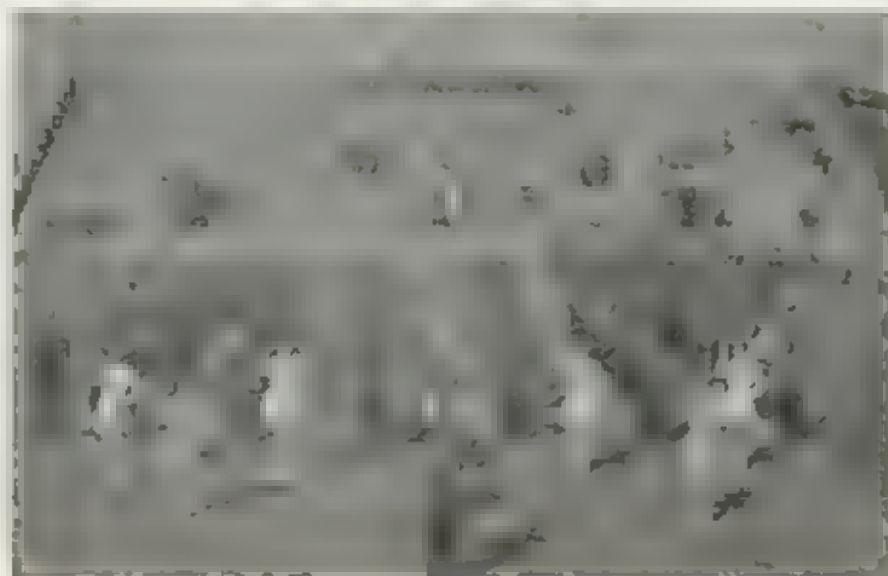
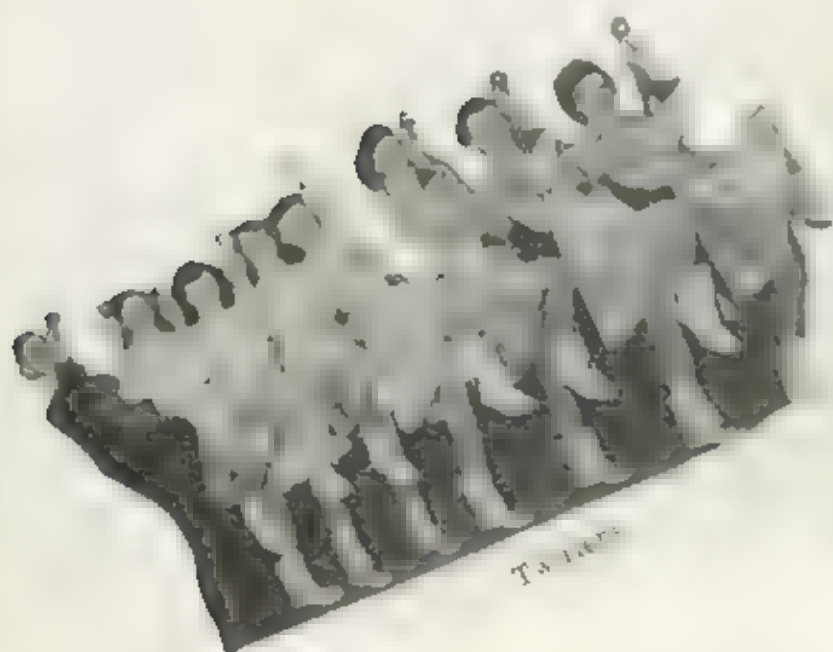
Concert Band



Mr. Eugene Tice

Beginning at the first of the year and lasting until November, the marching band, 67 in number, under the apt leadership of Mr. Eugene Tice, could be seen every morning practicing either north of the tennis courts or at the stadium. The band provided entertainment during the half at every home football game. Heading the band was Melvin Davenport (first drum Major ever to lead the Trojans) and assistants—Darlene Davis, Loretta Cullum, Phyllis Gilbert, Charlene Hull, JoAnn Ackors, Connie Knarr, and Lila Mae Farr.

The band had the opportunity to attend band day at Kansas State College. At the first of the season, they paraded at the Kansas Free Fair at Topeka. For the first time in its history, the concert band accompanied the chorus at the annual hospital banquet.



Marching Band



Orchestra



The orchestra was one of the features in a string festival, April 19, along with the band, chorus, mixed ensembles, and solos. Traditionally, the orchestra again accompanied the chorus for the Easter Messiah, April 4. The orchestra played for both the junior and senior plays, also for the commencement and baccalaureate.

The "B" and "O" (band and orchestra) club, organized last year, has been quite active this year. The group enjoyed a Halloween party at the first of the year.



President
Margaret Cullum



Vice-President
Elva Tice



Secretary
Joan Nelson



Treasurer
Robert Blinn

Band O Officers

District Music Festival and Lindsborg Auditions

Of the Beant High school musicians who took part in the district festival at Concordia March 31, 16 individuals and groups received highly superior ratings or I's. Vocal soloists receiving top ratings were Marilyn Craig, Patricia Jean McCollough, Gloria Tice, and Derna Haines. Instrumentalists who ranked highly superior were Elva Tice, Catherine Mears, Margaret Cullum, and Jim Boyd. Melvin Davidson received the number 1 rating in twirling. The groups that received highly superior are as follows: clarinet quartet, flute trio, string quartet, vocal octet, mixed ensemble, the band, and the orchestra.

Seventeen musicians or groups received II or superior ratings, and two were given excellent or III ratings.

A number of music students attended the audition at Bethany College, Lindsborg, Kansas, April 8. Arthur Kott was first in the violin section, and Jim Boyd was first in the brass section. Margaret Cullum received second in the vocal section, J. Dickerson ranked second in the woodwind section, and Catherine Mears rated second in the piano division.

Chorus



Miss Elsie Gaston

The mixed chorus, composed of 92 members, was very ambitious and always ready to sing. Miss Elsie Gaston was this year's able director.

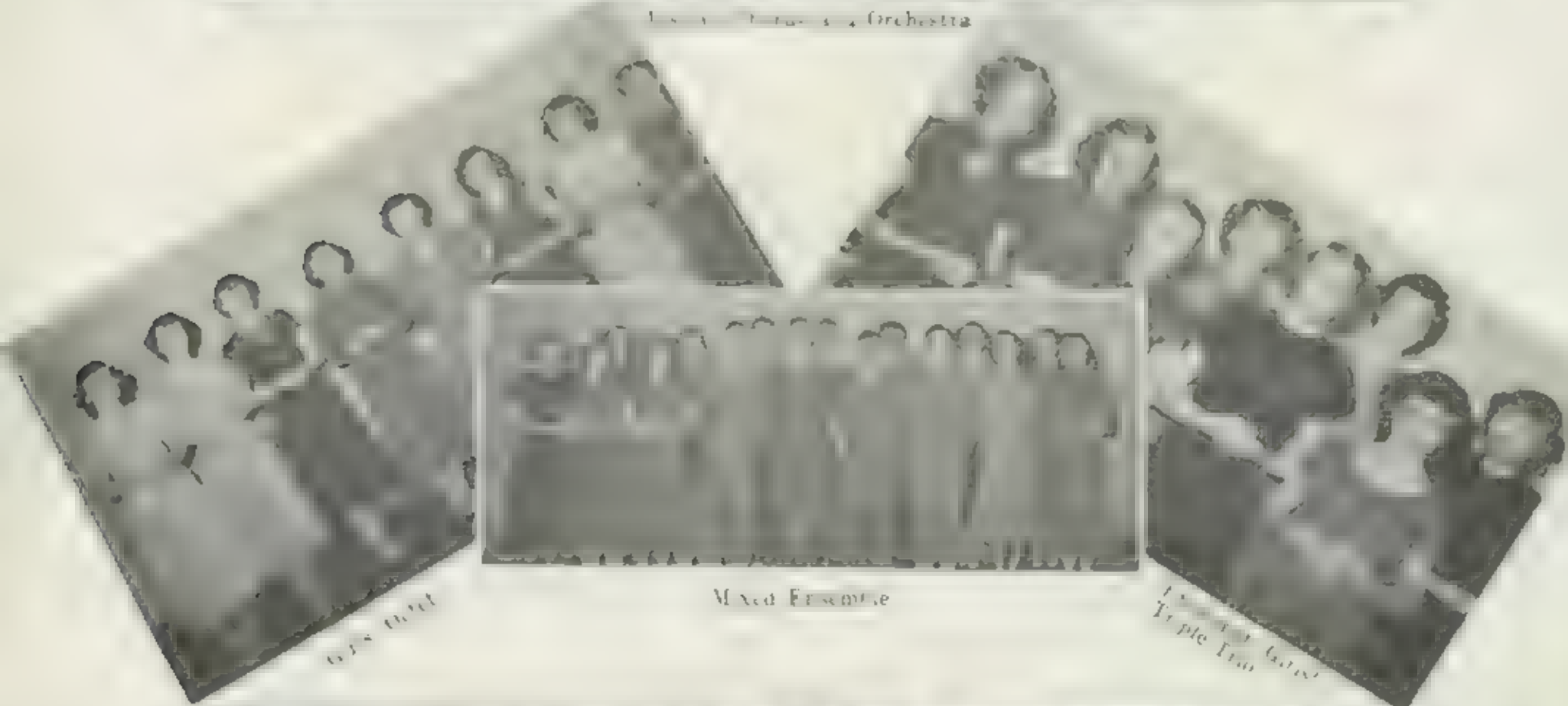
This group, accompanied by the band, sang for the Hospital Banquet, February 1.

A chorus group, composed of 127 members, presented the Easter Messiah, April 1, at the municipal auditorium. Student soloists were as follows: Phyllis Gilbert, soprano; Marilyn Craig, alto; Melvin Davenport, tenor; and Bill Motes, bass.

Active vocal ensemble groups were the girls' octet, freshman girls' triple trio, and the mixed ensemble.



Chorus and Orchestra



Girls' Octet

Mixed Ensemble

Freshman Girls' Triple Trio



Chorus and Band

Ensembles



Junior Drama

Cast

Augusta "Gusty" Goodrich	Marjorie Godwin
Dr. Mortimer Goodrich	Jim Jordan
Mrs. Emily Goodrich	Margie Myers
Arthur Petterson	George McCune
Miss James	Beverly Shea
Asia May	Marilyn Craig
Lil Stone	Erma Adams
Effie McCann	Bernice Lucky
Olga Dean	Pauline Murray
Carol Dean	Darlene Davis
Cynthia Thornton	Peggy Horne
Duke Weatherby	Gilbert Harlow

"Sixteen in August" was presented by the Junior class, December 6 and 7, under the direction of Miss Alma Morrison, assisted by Miss Lala Anderson.

The plot centers around Gusty Goodrich, a hearty resourceful girl, who is to be "Sixteen in August" and who has been told that she must stay home all summer. This makes her anything but happy until her father, a Doctor, brings a very unhappy invalid girl, Carol Dean, to their home for Gusty and her friends to entertain and more or less take care of for a few weeks. Gusty, along with her friends, does such a good job that her father decides she is a pretty admirable girl after all and lets her go to camp for the remainder of the summer.

This interesting plot together with the cast's fine acting made a very enjoyable performance.



Senior Drama

CAST

Aunt Molly Bremmer Johanna Johnson
 Mary Jane Bremmer Rosemary Jordan
 Jed Stuart Bill Motes
 Mike Moran Phil Walton
 Richard Humphries Jim Bean
 Philip Magnin Melvin Davenport
 Mrs. Ethel Murdock Donna Haines
 Gwendolyn Murdock Charlene Collins
 Victoria Trouble Nadine Eads



"The Man On The Stairs," a mystery-comedy, was presented by the Senior class May 2 and 3, under the direction of Miss Alma Morrison, assisted by Miss Lila Anderson.

The mysterious plot centered around Mary Jane Bremmer and her Aunt Molly who had come to live in Mary Jane's late uncle's house in the mountains of California. Unforeseen difficulties arose when several of Uncle Jim's relatives turned up to get "their share of the swag" and when Aunt Molly started taking strange men in out of the rain to "put on one of James' suits." Everyone was very surprised to find the man on the stairs was Mike Moran, an old desert rat who did odd jobs around the house, and not one of the men Aunt Molly had brought into the house.

The sound effects, staging and lighting were outstanding features of this play.





Queens



Football Queen
Marybelle Prewett



Basketball Queen
Johanna Johnson



Track Queen
Margaret Way

Marybelle Prewett is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Prewett. Mary was secretary of the senior class. She has been very active in Y-Teens and Pep club.

Johanna Johnson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson. Johanna was head cheerleader this year. She has been very active in Pep club, being cheerleader for three years. She has also served on the Y-Teen cabinet.

Margaret Way is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Way. Margaret was vice president of the Pep club her junior year. She has been very active in Y-Teens and the Pep club.

Attendants



Charlene Collins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins majored in Commerce. Charlene has been very active in dramatics.



Football



Connie Wagner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wagner majored in Home Economics. Connie has a smile for everyone.



Rosemary Jordan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jordan, majored in Social Science. Rosemary was co-editor of the 1950 yearbook.



Basketball



Ila James, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orville James majored in Home Economics. Ila is liked by all.



Wanda Centry, daughter of Mrs. Alma Centry majored in Commerce. Wanda is quiet and sweet.



Track



Margaret Houghton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Houghton majored in mathematics. She was co-editor of the 1950 yearbook.



Football



First Team ROW 1 Gordon Eide, Bill Motes, Robert Petterson, Kendall Studer, Bob Godwin, Don Nickell, Dewayne Black, Forrest McGinnis, Howard Bruce.
ROW 2 Coach Sidney Smith, Don Widrig, Joe Moss, George McKemey, Harrell Guard, Gene Clark, Jim Jordan, Dean Price, Tom Wesselowski, Sam Woods, Manager.
ROW 3 Bill Fell, Bob Logan, Jr. Clark, Phil Walton, Steve Reister, Bob Hamilton, Walt Adams, and Stanley Campbell.

The Beloit Trojans had a successful season, closing with 5 wins, 4 losses, and 1 tie, and a third place NCKL standing.

Returning lettermen this year included Walter Adams, Stanley Campbell, Bob Godwin, George McKemey, Don Nickell, and Bob Petterson. Other seniors in the scramble for the Trojans were Dewayne Black, Kendall Studer, Bob Hamilton, Forrest McGinnis, Phil Walton and Bill Fell.

The City of Troy had a glorious homecoming when they defeated the Panthers from Concordia by a margin of 24-13.

The door closed on the 1949 football season of the Beloit Trojans with a 28-12 victory over Mankato.

League Standings

School	Won	Lost	Ties	Pct.
Minneapolis	5	0	0	1.000
Marysville	3	1	1	.700
Beloit (Tie 3rd)	2	2	1	.500
Lincoln (Tie 3rd)	2	2	1	.500
Concordia	1	3	1	.300
Belleville	0	5	0	.000

Summary

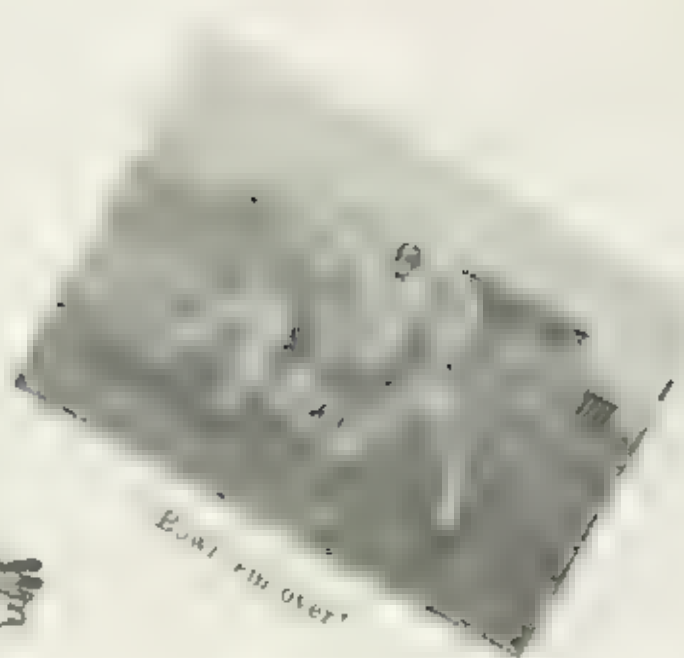
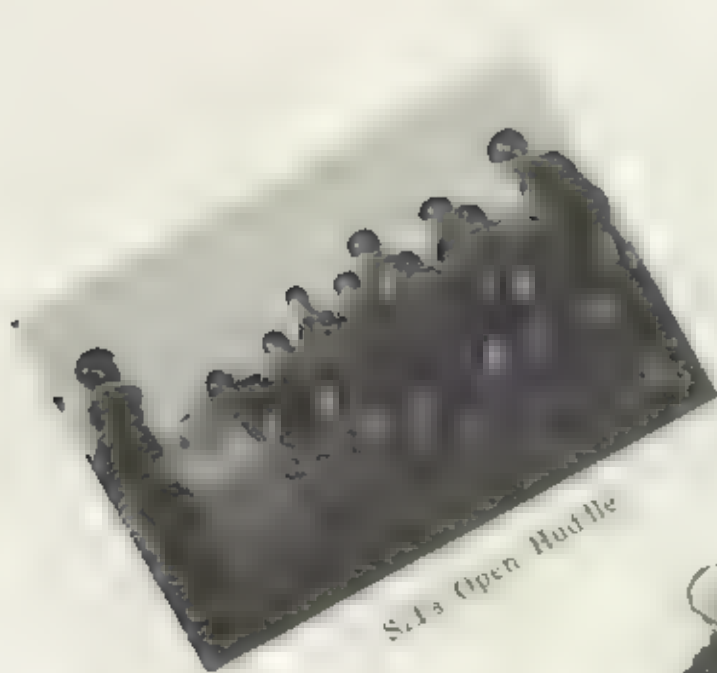
TOWN	BELOIT	THEY
Clay Center	7	31
Minneapolis	0	41
Belleville	12	0
Osborne	33	19
Marysville	13	20
Concordia	24	13
Ellsworth	13	12
Smith Center	13	21
Lincoln	13	13
Mankato	28	12



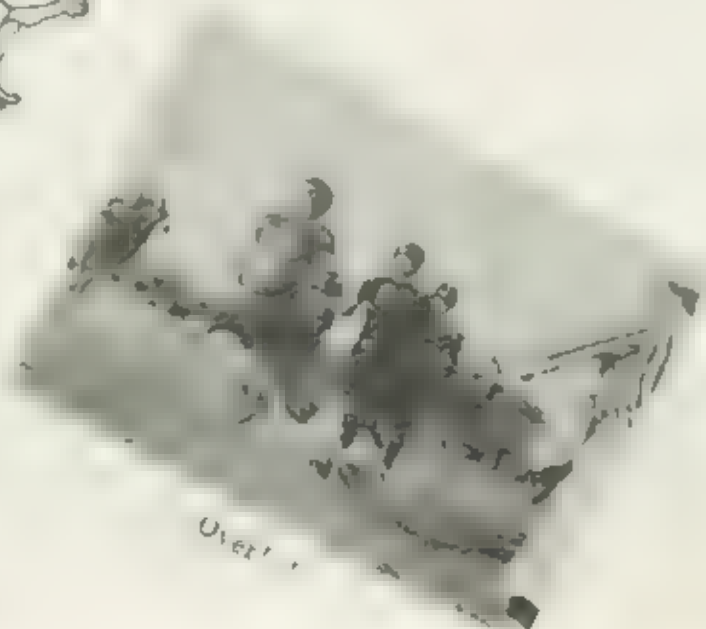
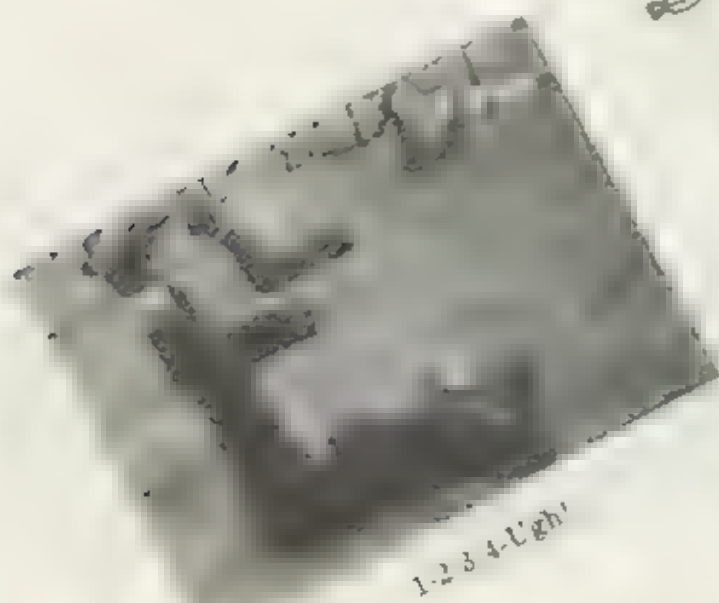
Stan Campbell was nominated captain of the 1949 football team. Through ten battles, Stan led his teammates to come out with a 5-4-1 record.

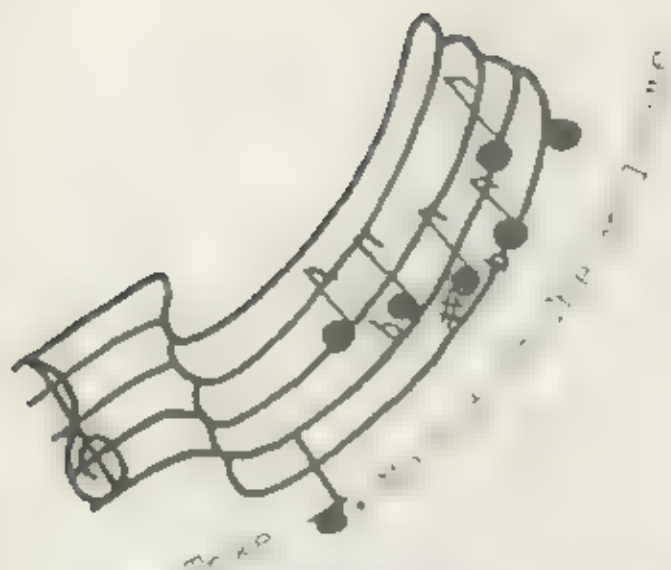


Pete Petterson, a senior on the 1949 Trojan team, was elected end on the all-state second team.

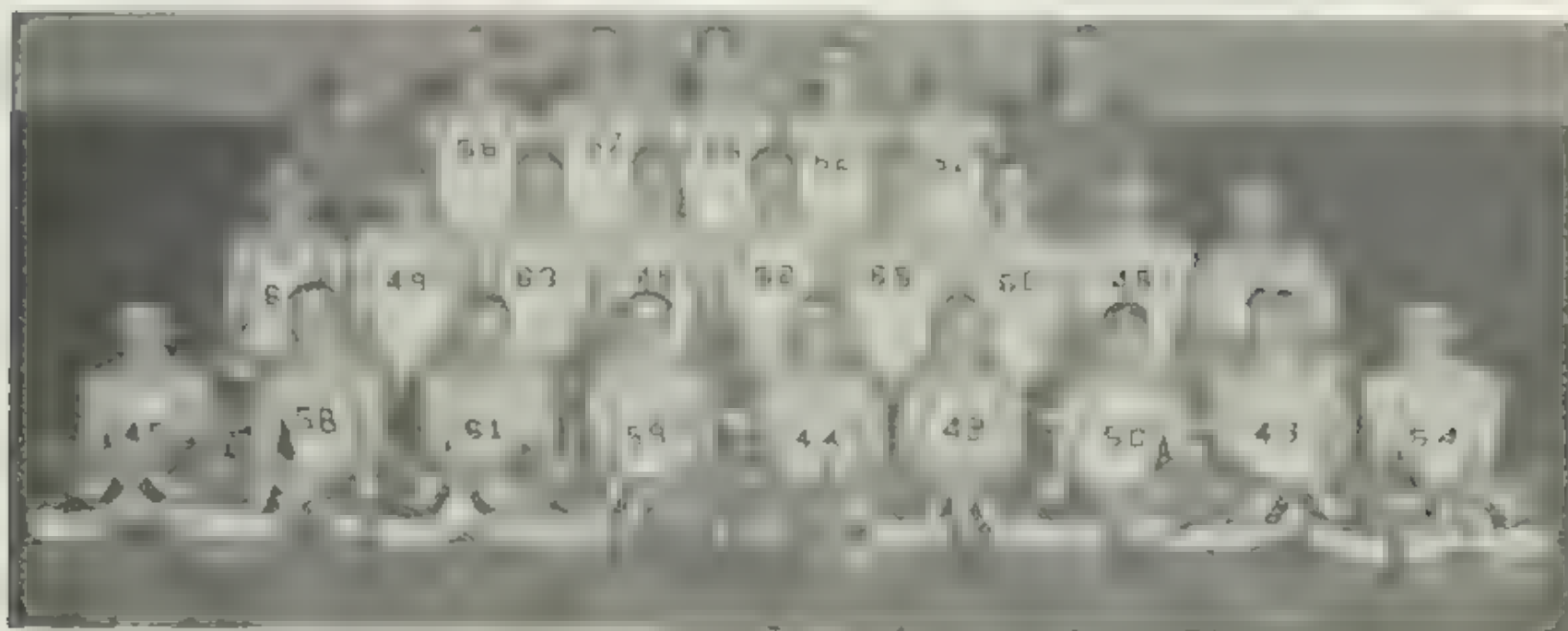


Second Team—ROW 1. Billy Vestal, Amos Williams, George Betz, Bill Borgen, Jack Abercrombie, Danry Moss, Richmond Bennett, Jerry McGhay, Darrell Conley, Gerald James and Don Spratlen.
 ROW 2. George Tatum, Dick Brown, Bob Snyder, Bob Bean, Ted Groves, Kenneth Adams, Don Smyth, Richard Bliss, Coach Bob Harrison.
 ROW 3. Russell Bradley, Arden Treaster, Loren Brown, Roy Strawn, Don Zimmerman, Franklin Maston, Dale Lynch, Larry Griffin, Keith Shamburg, Carl Williams, and Jack Conn.





Basketball



ROW 1: George Tatum, Bob Logan, Richard Bass, Bob Hanlon*, Walter Adams*, Junior Clark, Bob Snyder, Gerald James, and Don Widrig*.

ROW 2: Joe Moss*, Harold Gourd, Gordon Felt, George McKemey*, Jim Rehbert*, Bob Godwin*, Gene Clark*, Robert Petterson*, and Ben Miles*.

ROW 3: Sam Woods, Manager, Ben Bergen, Howard Bruce, George Betz, Norman Hass, Bob Householder, and Coach Sidney Smith.

* Member of first team



Coaches Bob Harrison and Sid Smith. Both have had impressive records with Beloit teams. They are standing behind a few of the trophies that the Beloit basketball team coached by Smith has won. The trophies on the sides are NOKL Championship trophies. Those in center are second and third trophies won at state tournaments.

Summary

TOWN	BELOIT		THEY	
	1st	2nd	1st	2nd
Mankato	50	- 68	32	- 65
Clay Center	46	- 44	29	- 43
Osborne	51	- 55	47	- 47
Lincoln	68	- 64	47	- 45
Concordia	49	- 43	41	- 42
Marysville	55	- 49	42	- 29
Belleville	49	- 42	40	- 36
Minneapolis	50	- 52	42	- 42

INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENT

Beloit—25	Russell—34
Beloit—48	Wamego—51

REGIONAL TOURNAMENT

Beloit—66	Phillipsburg—44
Beloit—50	Smith Center—36
Beloit—47	Clay Center—43

STATE TOURNAMENT

Beloit—61	Hayden—51
Beloit—44	Larned—57



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The Beloit Trojans had a very successful basketball season for '49 and '50. The fighting Smith-men won the NCKL Title for the fourth year in a row and also took part in the state tournament for the fourth time in as many years. Bob Godwin led the Beloit scoring attack by having an average of 29 points a game

The Men of Troy lost only three games and won twenty, with two of the defeats coming in the Beloit Invitational and the one loss in the state tournament. George McKemey was elected season captain of the team. Bob Godwin was picked for the all state basketball team. He set a new scoring mark in the state by scoring 38 points against Hayden. Bob also took part in the All-Star game between Kansas and Missouri, at Springfield, Missouri, June 10.



Bob Godwin—unanimous all state basketball forward.



It's time out from the fighting as they get fresh instructions from Coach Smith at the State tournament in the game against Hayden



George McKemey—elected basketball captain for 49-50 season.



Track



FRONT ROW: A. Felt, D. Zimmerman, D. Widrig, J. McGhay, P. Petterson, J. Van Peet, S. Spielman, B. Felt, B. Hamilton, K. Adams. SECOND ROW: D. Brown, B. Jones, F. Mastin, J. Moss, E. Clark, S. Campbell, R. Larkins, W. Adams, B. Logan. THIRD ROW: R. Ross, R. Strawn, R. Hoeschele, R. Bradley, D. Moss, B. Bergen, G. Betz, B. Snyder, J. Clark. FOURTH ROW: Coach Sid Smith, E. Engelbert, N. McKee, J. Jones, K. Studer, T. Wesselowski, H. Guard, and Assistant Coach Bob Harrison.

The track squad of 1950, under the coaching of Sid Smith and Bob Harrison, had a successful season in spite of bad weather prevalent on track meet days.

In the tenth annual Beloit Relays Beloit was the second place team with 37 points. Hays won the Class A and Pretty Prairie the Class B. Four hundred ten athletes participated in this meet. Beloit has never placed below third place in this meet.

In the N. C. K. L. meet Beloit placed second with 66 1/3 points. Marysville won this meet with 89 1/3 points. Concordia, Lincoln, and Belleville also took part in this meet.

At the Sterling meet the Trojans captured only 3 1/2 points.

In the Salina meet Beloit was the first place Class A team with 14 points.

Beloit won the Beloit Invitational Meet with 81 1/2 points. Downs, Glen Elder, Mankato, Lincoln, and Courtland also attended this meet.

At the Regional Meet at Hays, the Trojans scored a total of 21 1/2 points. Spielman placed first in the mile, Felt third in the pole vault, and Widrig second in the javelin. These three boys represented B. H. S. in the state meet May 19, in Manhattan.

In the Kansas University Inter-Scholastic meet, Gordon Felt placed fourth in the pole vault and Stuart Spielman fourth in the mile run. While the first squad was in Manhattan the reserves were taking part in the Concordia Meet. These boys came home with first place.

This year Stuart Spielman, a senior, broke the B. H. S. mile record which was set in 1941 by Carl Gildersleeve, timed at 4:52.8. Spielman's time was 4:43.4.



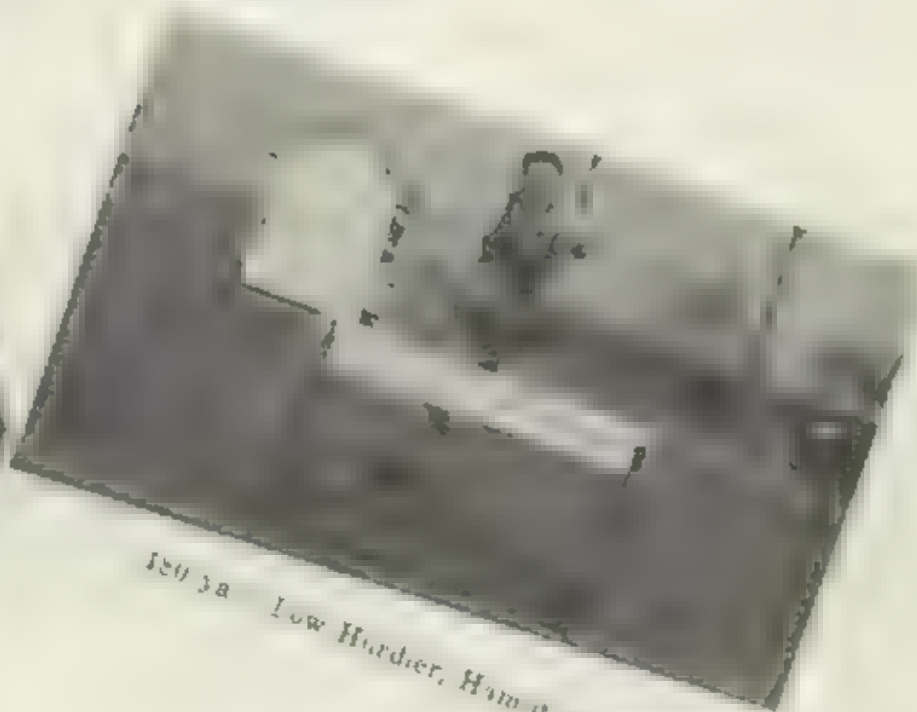
Mile Relay Team



Medley Relay Team



150 Relay Team



150 yd Low Hurdler, Hamilton



Javelin, Widrig



Track Captain, "Pete" Petterson

Tennis and Golf



FRONT ROW Donald Weaver, John Williams, Jim Vestal, Curtis Mang, Harvey Donahoo BACK ROW Dean Price, George Tatum, Bill Motes, George McKemey, Amos Williams, and Bob Godwin

Tennis, innovated at BHS in 1935 and discontinued during the war has been revived as an NCKL sport. The last tennis year in 1942 Beloit high won the NCKL championship.

George McKemey, Amos Williams, George Tatum, and Bill Motes made up the championship tennis team this year. Nine boys were out for tennis.



Junior Clark, Harrell Guard, George Tatum, and Jim Bean



George Tatum, Bill Motes, George McKemey, and Amos Williams



FRONT ROW: Donald Zimmerman, Loren Harvey, Keith Shamburg, Ted Groves BACK ROW Mr. Harrison, Junior Clark, Harrell Guard, George Tatum, Jim Bean, and Richard Morrell.

Golf also has been revived as an NCKL sport. Several meets have been held with Concordia, Belleville, and Lincoln.

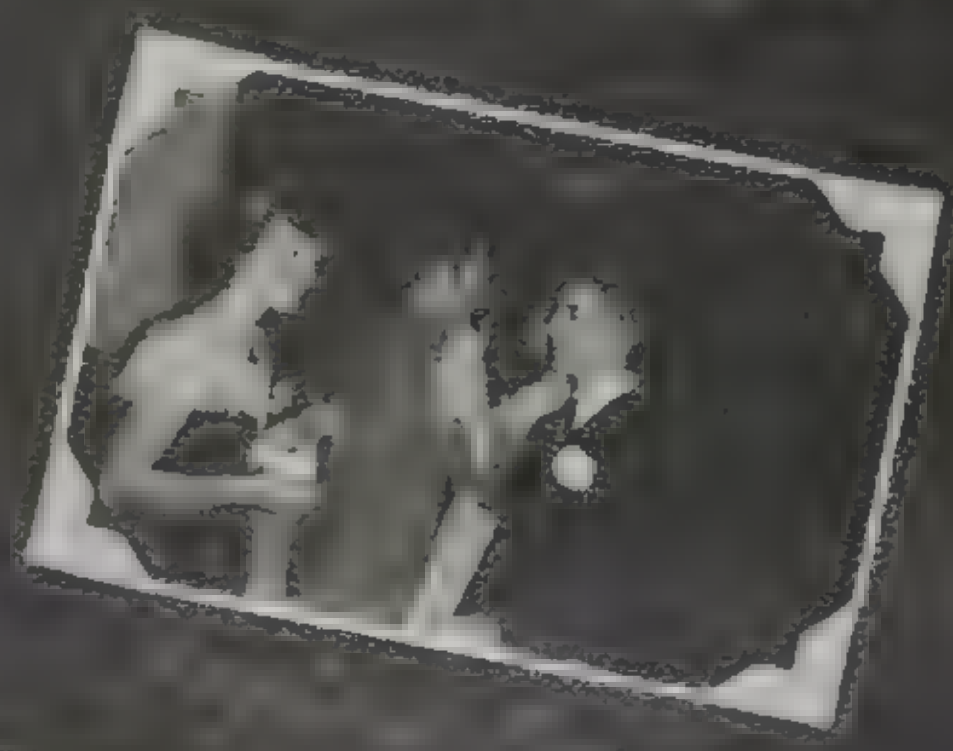
George Tatum placed second, Jim Bean fourth, and Junior Clark fifth in the NCKL meet at Concordia. Nine boys were out for golf. Mr. Robert Harrison has coached both the tennis and golf teams.

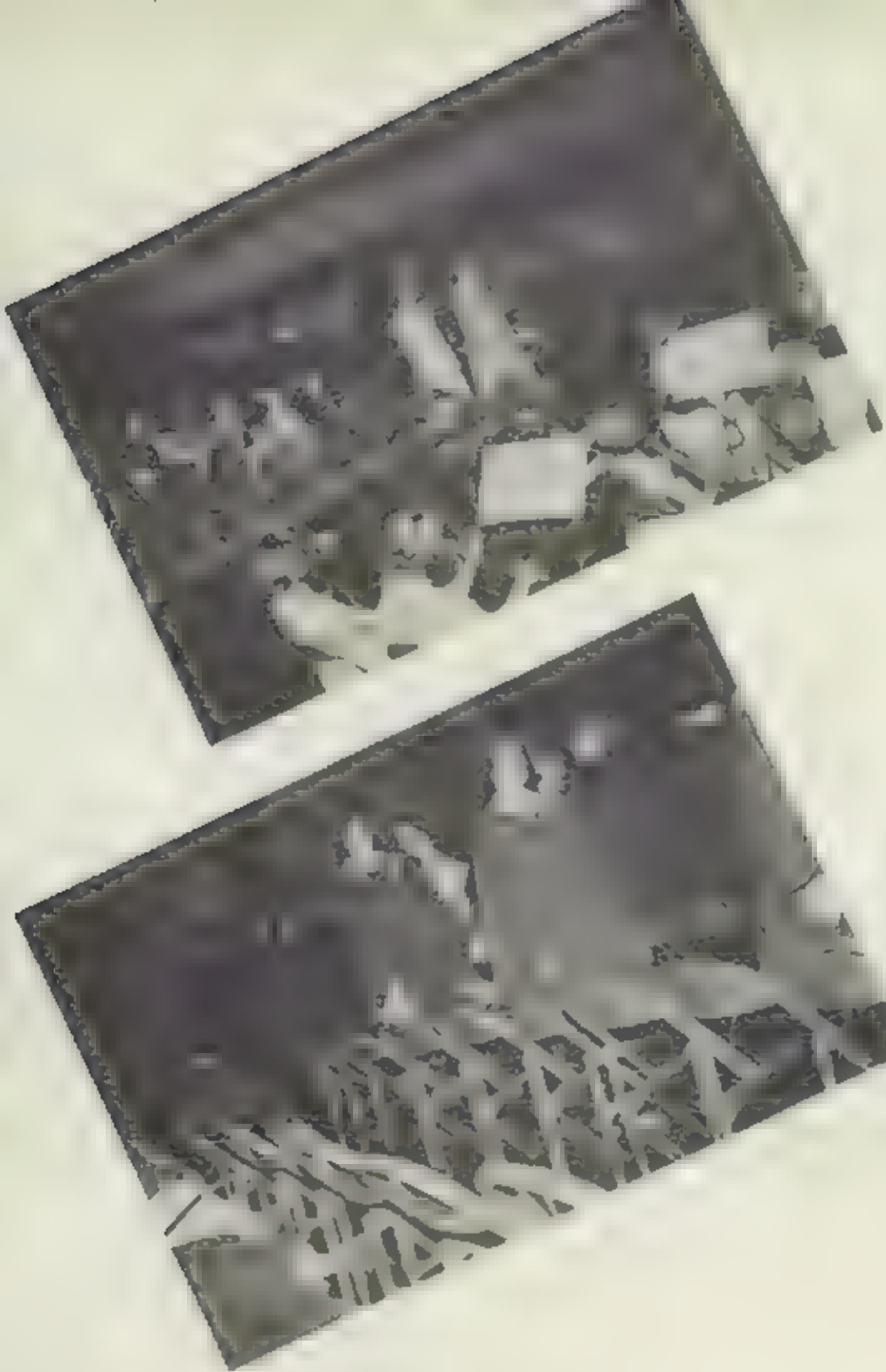


At Work



1. The girls in section start typing not only to get speed in typing but also gain experience in office practice as well. 2. The girls in the shop class are busy at work making various pieces of furniture which were shown to the school community. 3. Under the watchful eye of Mr. Barry these busy chemistry students are having an interesting experiment. 4. The first year clothing girls are making garments which were shown in the annual spring sewing exhibition by the clothing department. 5. The mechanical drawing girls are busy drawing plans for the modern home. 6. Under the able direction of Mr. Eugene T. the boys are working on the same project every morning from 8:00 to 1:40. This is now their daily bring home and for the contests. 7. These students are deep in study in the school library. 8. Learning to cut a pattern properly is a very important part of advanced office training work. 9. The boys are at the school gymnasium in Mr. Harrison's freshman gym class. 10. A top in study has been won. 11. The School and Industries class put on "The Park Dress" and received a I at the District festival and a II at the State contest.





Commencement

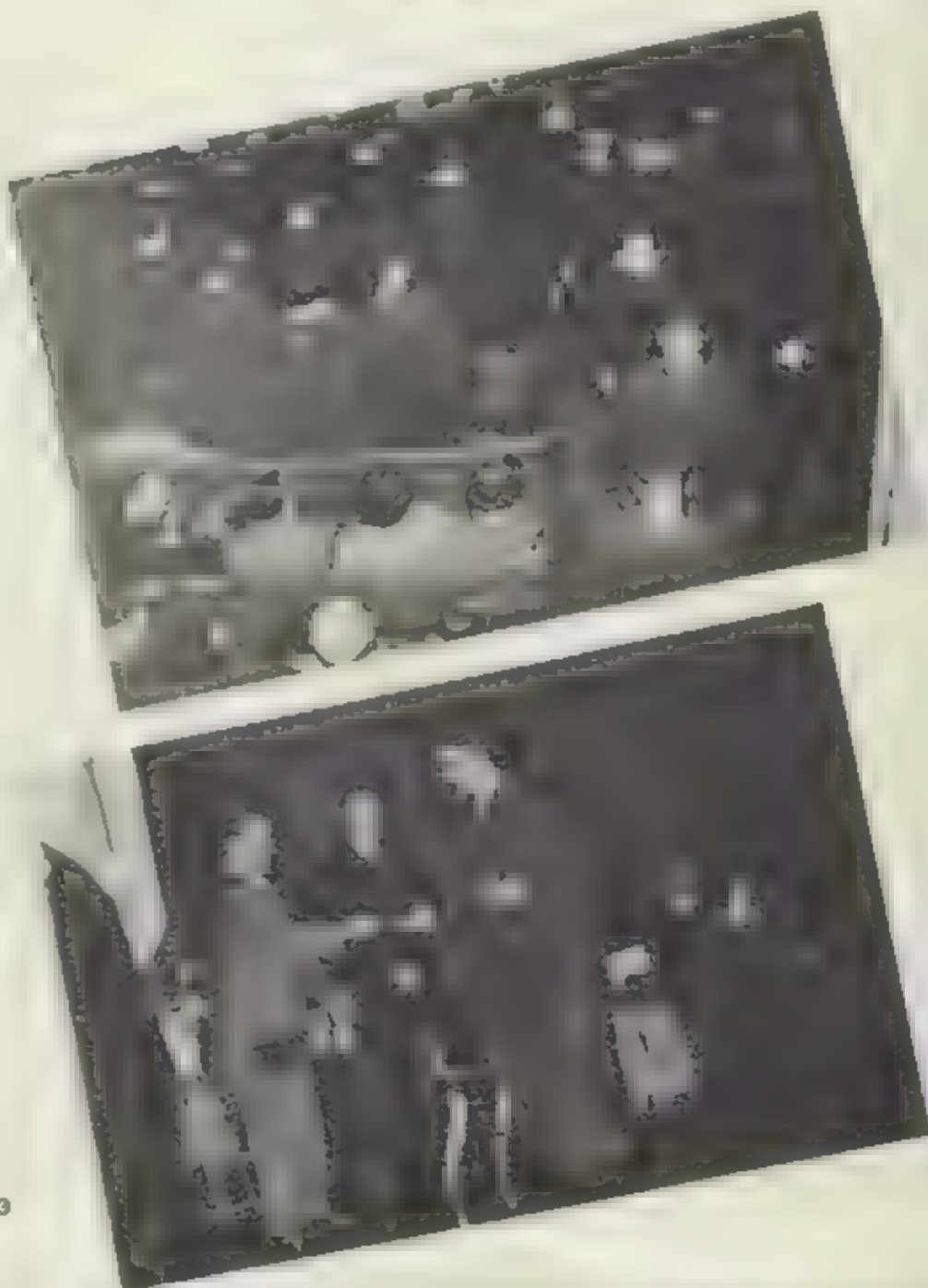
MONDAY, MAY 22, 1950

Processional	Orchestra
<i>"Pomp and Circumstance"</i> —Edward Elgar	
"Star Spangled Banner"	Orchestra
Selection	Orchestra
<i>Symphony Minuterie in G</i> —Harold Johnson	
<i>Allegro—Minuetto—Rondina</i>	
Invocation	Rev. Claude Scheuerman
Vocal Solo	Bill Motes
<i>Road to Mandalay</i> —Oley Speaks	
Recognition of the 50th Anniversary of the Class of 1900	
Introduction of Members Present	
Student Talk	Rosemary Jordan
<i>The Golden Rule of America</i>	
Student Talk	James Boyd
<i>The Golden Rule of America</i>	
Bassoon Solo	Jim Dickinson
<i>Capriccio</i> —W. H. W. W. W. W.	
Address	<i>"Take the First Step"</i>
Chas. I. Hawkes, Supt. of Schools, Salina, Kansas	
Violin Solo	Margaret Cullum
<i>Romance from Concerto in D Minor</i> by Wieniawski	
Presentation of the Class to the	
Board of Education	Supt. John S. Morrell
Roll Call of the Class	Prin. E. M. Chestnut
Presentation of the Diplomas	Marvin Mastin
President, Board of Education	
Benediction	Rev. Claude Scheuerman
Recessional	Orchestra
<i>"Pomp and Circumstance"</i> —Edward Elgar	

Baccalaureate

SUNDAY, MAY 21, 1950

Processional	Mrs. R. C. Baker
<i>"Grand March from Aida"</i> —Verdi	
Congregational Singing	Hymn No. 256
<i>"Faith of Our Fathers"</i>	
Invocation	Rev. Amos Williams
Choir Selections	High School Choir
<i>"The Crusader's Hymn"</i> —Arr. by Knepper	
<i>"Penitence"</i> —Trane	
Scripture	Rev. Amos Williams
Prayer	Rev. Amos Williams
Sermon	Rev. Allen Brown
<i>"I'm a Life"</i>	
Vocal Solo	Donna Haines
<i>"Lift Every Voice and Sing"</i> —Johnson	
Congregational Singing	Hymn No. 44
<i>Evening Praise</i>	
Benediction	Rev. Amos Williams
Recessional	Mrs. R. C. Baker
<i>"Grand March from Aida"</i> —Verdi	







And so, as another chapter in the story of events at Beloit High School comes to a close, students bid farewell to the Halls of Troy.



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